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DUTCH FOREIGN POLICY

A Change Possible

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Hague, Aug. 15.
A fundamental change in the Dutch foreign policy is forecasted in political circles here, where it is said that the Roman Catholic Party will shortly induce the Government to accede to the demand for a partial, if not the total abolition of the contingent system, and its substitution by protective tariffs.
The inadequacy of the contingent system had been known to be acknowledged in official quarters, and is proving to be increasingly unpopular among large sections of the business men.
Wool, pottery and the paper industries are foremost among those calling for protective tariffs, for which an intensive propaganda is being made in the industrial centres of Tilburg, Breda and Hertogenbosch.
It is understood that the Roman Catholic Party desires to find favour with the Minister of Economics, Dr. Gellissen, the assertion is even being made that the party's programme for tariffs and credits in order to assist the industry, has played a considerable part in deciding the reconstruction of the Collin Cabinet.
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NO PROGRESS MADE

Efforts To Settle Dispute

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Paris, Aug. 15.
The impression prevails here that the lengthy conversations that took place yesterday, between M. Laval and Baron Aloisi, failed to bring the issue any nearer to a solution.
The Italian standpoint, as outlined by Baron Aloisi is stated to be as follows: "Italy must seek new possibilities for expansion in view of the steady increase of her population. Since only a very few countries are open for European immigrants Italy is turning to Abyssinia, where she possesses undisputed treaty rights. She must moreover be mindful of the security of her colonies in Somaliland and Eritrea, which is bordering on Abyssinia."
"Italy cannot be satisfied with an economic expansion. She recognises the rights of the other powers in Abyssinia, but must insist on political guarantees. To this purpose she has concentrated 170,000 troops in both colonies, and will not hesitate to back up her demands with these troops, if the proposed peaceful settlement should not afford the required satisfaction."
"The Italian Government is quite aware of the international difficulties caused by its intentions, but points out that the measures taken have been dictated by vital interests."

"SHARE OUR WEALTH"

Huey Long For The Presidency

New York, Aug. 15.
Referring to President Roosevelt and Mr. Herbert Hoover as twin bed-mates of disaster, Senator Huey Long announced that he would stand for the Presidency, provided the Republicans go for Hoover, and the Democrats for Roosevelt, and there is not any other Liberal candidate.
Spicing his statements with a choice selection of oaths, Senator Long warned anyone against voting for either Roosevelt or Hoover, as they would be "just asking for an introduction to the gate-keeper of Hell."
"Under my Presidency," declared Senator Long, "you will have more millionaires than were ever dreamed of, and everyone else will have plenty, too."
"All kinds of people, from the top to the bottom, will line up behind me, except perhaps a few bloated millionaires who cannot see much beyond their noses."
Senator Long indicated that "Share Our Wealth" will be the major point in his election programme.
Reuter.

NEW FLYING RECORD?

Officer's Feat.

London, Aug. 15.
F. B. Chapman, an R.A.F. officer who is flying to Australia and back to see his family during a month's leave, passed today at noon today on his way to Calcutta. He appears likely to beat the existing record of 7 days, 4 hours, 50 minutes for a solo flight to Australia, established by Sir Charles Kingsford Smith in October, 1933.
Chapman has taken three and a half days from Lympne to Jodhpur, whereas Sir Charles reached Karachi on fourth day.
British Wireless.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

Bathing.—Y.M.C.A. Police Pier, 3 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club, Police Pier, 3.30 p.m.; Kowloon Tong Anglican Church, Police Pier, 3.15 p.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"The Darling Young Man."
Queen's:—"Public Hero No. 1."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"Under Pressure."
Alhambra:—"The Right To Live."
Majestic:—"Biography Of A Bachelor Girl."
Star:—"Anne Of Green Gables."

Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of Admiral Hugh Pigot Williams due.

Social.—Tombola on board H.M.S. Tamar, 7.15 p.m.; Cheer Club Whist Drive, 8.30 p.m.

Sports

Baseball.—Americans v. Canadians (L. Salle College), 3.30 p.m.
Bowls.—Senior Division, Craigengower C.C. "A" v. Police R.C.; Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon C.C.; Club de Recreio v. Kowloon Dock; Indian R.C. v. Craigengower C.C. "B"; Junior Division, Police R.C. v. Craigengower C.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Civil Service C.C.; Talkoo R.C. v. Club de Recreio; Yacht Club v. Hong Kong Electric; Hong Kong P.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.

Moon.—VII Moon, 19th Day.
Sunrise.—6.01 a.m. Sunset.—6.54 p.m.

Tides.—High at 11.04 and 23.45; Low at 4.25 and 17.30.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Ninth Sunday after Trinity.

Cinemas

King's:—"Private Worlds."
Queen's:—"Public Hero No. 1."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"Naughty Marietta."
Alhambra:—"Murder In The Clouds."
Majestic:—"The Night Life Of The Gods."
Star:—"King Of Jazz."

Entertainments.—Concert, Commercial Institute, Queen's Theatre, 8.30 a.m.; Charity Show, King's Theatre, 11.30 a.m.

Sports

Baseball.—Japanese v. Chinese (Caroline Hill), 9.30 a.m.

Moon.—VII Moon, 20th Day.
Sunrise.—6.01 a.m. Sunset.—6.53 p.m.

Tides.—High at 11.57. Low at 5.17 and 18.00.

MONDAY, AUGUST 19

Auctions.—Crown Land, P.W.D. Offices, 3 p.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"Private Worlds."
Queen's:—"Public Hero No. 1."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"Naughty Marietta."
Alhambra:—"Murder In The Clouds."
Majestic:—"The Night Life Of The Gods."
Star:—"Smilin' Through."

Dances.—Cheero Club, 8.30 p.m.
Entertainments.—Violin Recital by Sitton Ma, Hong Kong Hotel, 9.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of Claude Ivon Williams due; Open Night, and Committee Meeting, St. Andrew's Club.

Social.—Solo Whist Drive, Y.M.C.A., 8 p.m.; Tombola on board H.M.S. Tamar, 7.15 p.m.

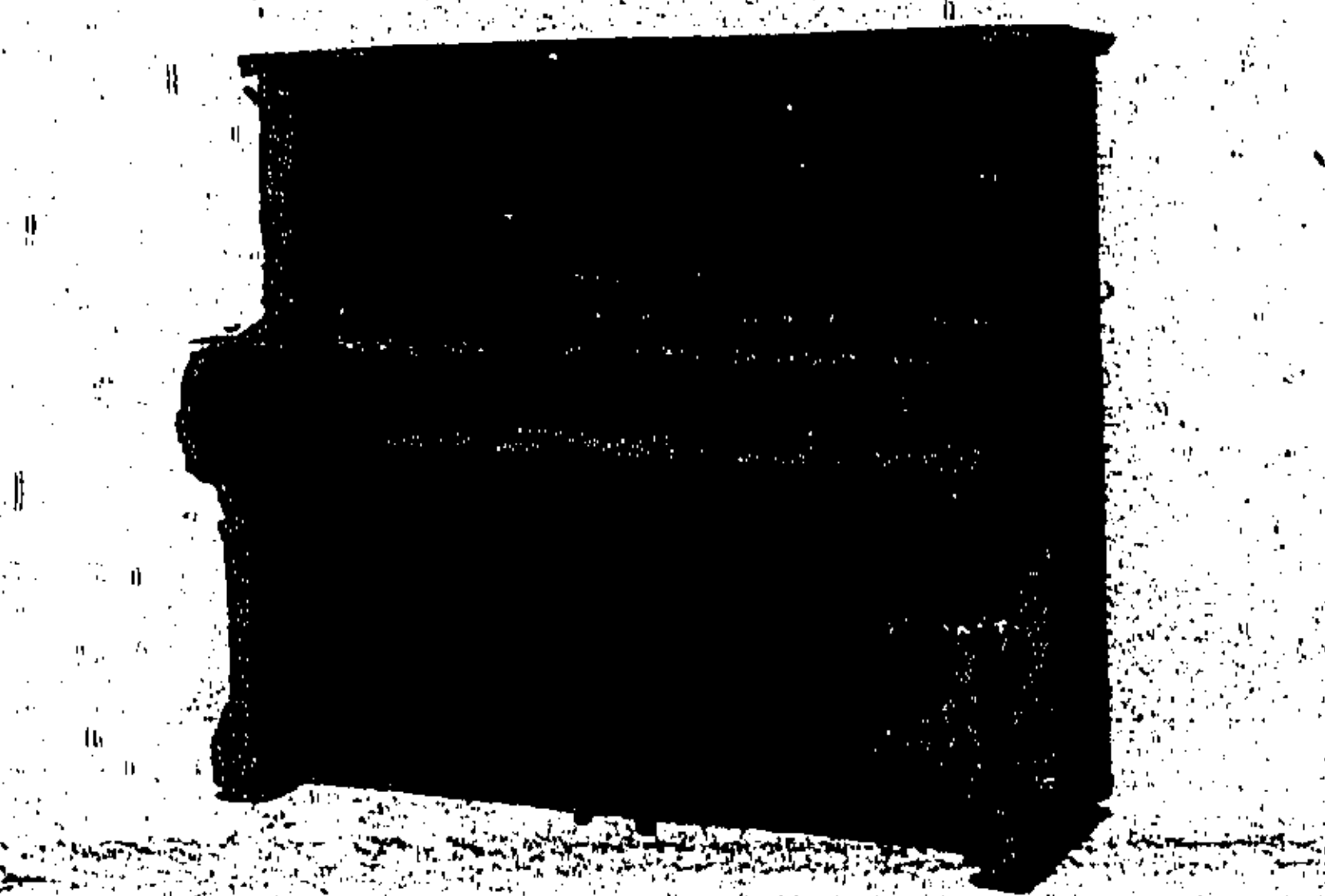
Moon.—VII Moon, 21st Day.
Sunrise.—6.02 a.m. Sunset.—6.52 p.m.

Tides.—High at 0.22 and 12.56; Low at 6.14 and 18.30.

giment, and then to the Royal Tank Corps, in which he was O.C. 3rd Battalion. He has held several instructional posts, at the Senior Officers' School in Aldershot, the School of Instruction in France, at Sandhurst. He comes to Dover from charge of the Senior Officers' School in Belgium. He commanded the 123rd Brigade in France.

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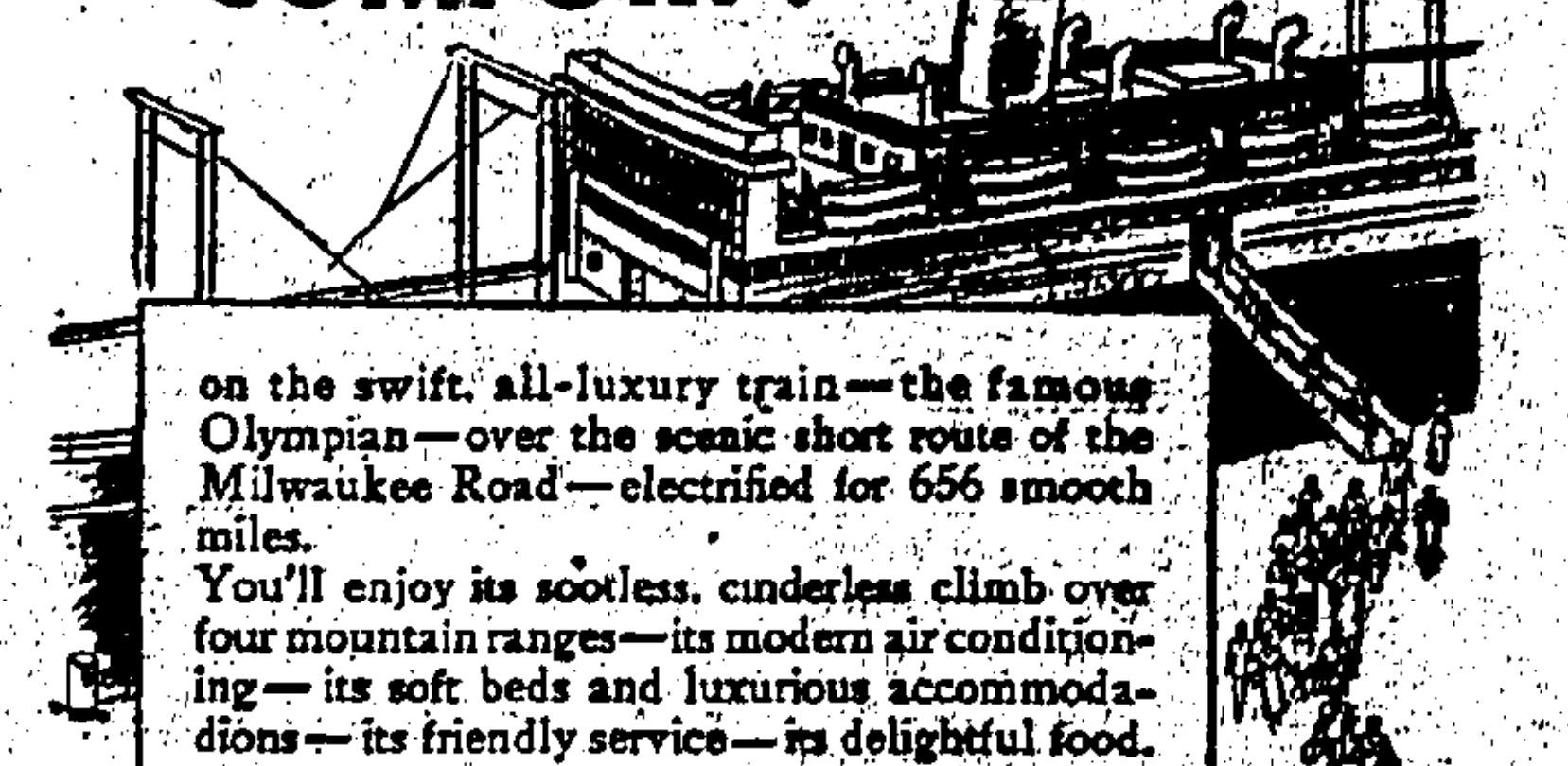
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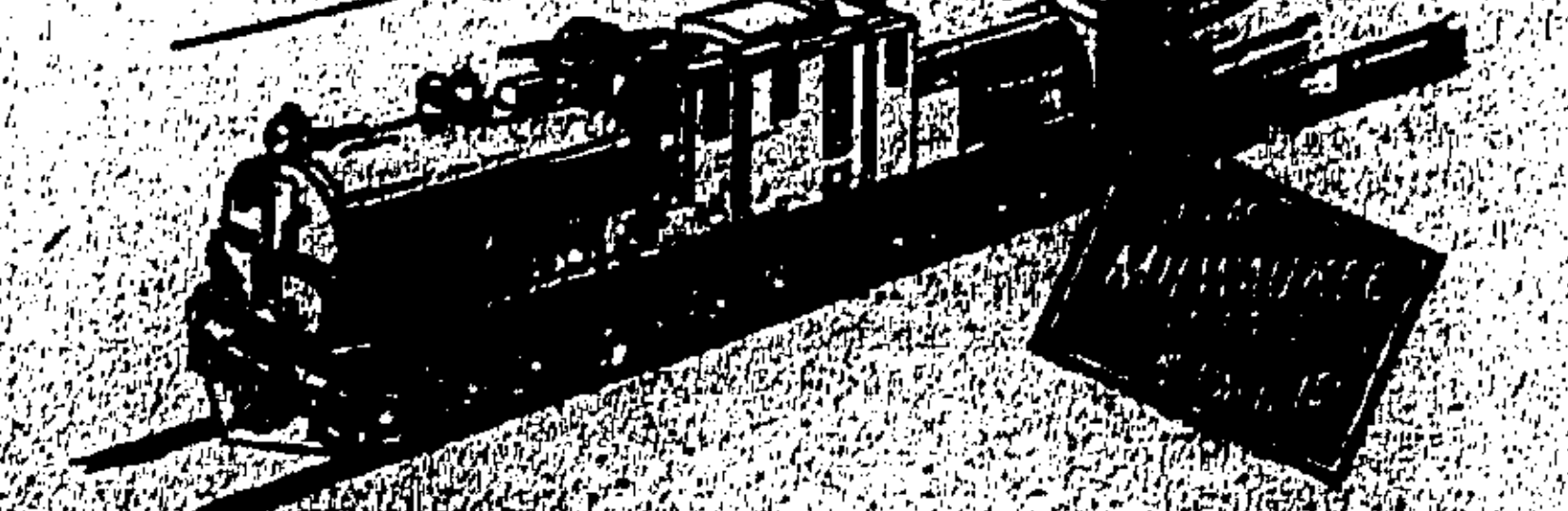
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WATER CONSERVANCY IN CHINA

Distribution Of Functions

As part of a national programme for flood and drought prevention, a number of reforms have been made in the water conservancy administration.

Water conservancy in China is in the first instance administered by regional commissions and other "ad hoc" bodies. Some have hitherto been subordinate to the Central Government; others to the Provincial authorities. Moreover those responsible to the Central Government were responsible to no single organ. Thus the Ministry of the Interior had control of institutions carrying on river surveying and flood prevention; matters of farm irrigation came under the Ministry of Industry; the Ministry of Communications had charge of the conservancy of navigable channels, and the Ministry of Industry; the Ministry of Communications had charge of the conservancy of navigable channels, and the Ministry of Navy of the surveying of navigation routes.

Such a distribution of functions did not make for efficiency, and confusion and the shifting of responsibility from one organ to another were the inevitable results. For while, in a country as large as China, it is desirable that conservancy administration should to some extent be entrusted to local bodies, there should be a central body which supervises them and co-ordinates their activities. No small part of the ineffectiveness in conservancy matters has been due to the administration of rivers by three or four different commissions, which were unwilling to co-operate, which disputed one another's functions, and over which there was no common authority to compel united action.

FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Financial arrangements were also unsatisfactory. Some of the Commissions drew their incomes from the Customs, from river dues, or from the Boxer Indemnity Funds. Others were a mere without resources; and there was no organ to which they could appeal for assistance in carrying out urgent projects.

That this state of affairs needed reform, had long been recognised. And when, last summer, the Central Government decided, in its programme of reconstruction, to spend a much increased sum on conservancy matters, reform could no longer be delayed. Therefore on July 14th, at its 394th meeting, the Central Political Council decided to unify the water conservancy administration of the country, and the National Economic Council was designated as the central organ.

To place all major conservancy institutions under the National Economic Council was the necessary first step to reform; but until the Commissions themselves were reorganized, and their responsibilities clearly demarcated, the task of the N.E.C. was an impossible one. The National Economic Council, entering on its new functions, therefore submitted a plan by which its control could be made a reality. The plan amounted to rationalizing the local conservancy administration, the method being firstly to abolish all redundant institutions, and in the second place to merge a number of small organisations into a few larger ones. In February the Central Political Council sanctioned the scheme, and by April 16th the reorganisation had been completed.

CONSERVANCY ADMINISTRATION

It is effect was to place the greater part of conservancy administration in China in the hands of five large Commissions. These were the Kwangtung Conservancy Board, the North China River Commission, the Yellow River Commission, the Hwai River Commission, and the Yangtze River Commission. New regulations given to these Commissions required them to submit all their projects, and their schemes of expenditure, for the approval of the National Economic Council. Provincial and Hsien organisations interested in water conservancy having by another law been placed under the control of the N.E.C., the centralisation had proceeded as far as was desirable.

In the meanwhile, to equip itself for its new functions, the National

Economic Council had made certain changes in its own organisation. The staff of its Bureau of Hydraulic Engineering was enlarged; and, for deciding on the general lines of water conservancy policy, a committee was set up including high government officials and representatives of the different parties interested.

The National Economic Council will dispose of substantial funds, which it will use for the most part as grants-in-aid to these projects of the river commissions and provincial authorities which it considers most urgent and most profitable. On these principles, a programme has been drawn up for the current year. It falls into four parts.

RURAL REHABILITATION

The first part has to do with rural rehabilitation, especially irrigation in the arid North West. The following projects are either under execution or have been already completed:

- (1) Repair and completion of the Weiwei Irrigation System in Shensi.
- (2) Construction of the Loho Irrigation System, Shensi.
- (3) Construction of a series of smaller irrigation systems in Kansu and Ninghsia.
- (4) Construction of the irrigation experimental station of Tsu Shing Ku, Hopei.
- (5) Construction of a "grass dam" in the outlet of the Hungtze Lake near Chiangpa. The purpose is to keep the level of the Lake high enough for irrigation purposes. (Kiangsu and Anhwei).
- (6) Construction of regulated overflows in the canal from the Hungtze Lake to the sea, near Yang Chwang and Chow Men, for supply of irrigation water to middle Kiangsu.

FLOOD PREVENTION

The second part deals with flood prevention, and especially, in view of the recent flood menace, with the age-old problems of the Yellow River. A flood, which might have involved a huge area, was prevented in April by emergency work on the Kwantai dyke, made possible by the financial and technical support given by the N.E.C. Subsidies were given to the dyke bureaus in Honan, Shantung and Hopei, through which provinces the Yellow River passes; the Golden Dyke (Chin Ti), which is the key to the protection of North China, is being thoroughly repaired; and a number of dykes are being constructed in Shantung in the river estuary.

Besides the work on the Yellow River, a number of flood prevention operations are under execution on the Yangtze, on the Han River in Hupeh, and on the Yung T'ing Ho and the Lung Feng Ho in Hopei.

INLAND NAVIGATION

The third part of the programme is concerned with inland navigation. Steps are being taken to repair the canal system, which formerly played such an important part in the economic life of the country and which still, where usable, provides the cheapest means of transportation. The following work is in execution:

- (1) Improvement of the Soochow Creek. Operations include the dredging of several sections; making a deeper route through the Tai Hu Lake; and constructing shorter channels near Yu Chi Teng.
- (2) Improvement of the navigation route from Tszian (Shantung) to the sea, by dredging and by the building of ship locks in the Hsiao Ching Ho.
- (3) An operation to connect navigation between the Yellow River and the Grand Canal.

SURVEYING

Finally, there is a programme for surveying, inspection and research. The work of the different Commissions is being co-ordinated, and under instruction of the N.E.C. new investigations will be undertaken. The programme includes:

- (1) The organisation of five hydrological survey groups to be stationed in the North China

FIRE RESISTANCE MATERIALS

Data Available

The past 4 or 5 years have seen a very considerable amount of experimental and research work carried out with a view to investigating the more extensive uses of asbestos for fire protection purposes. As a result of this work, there is now available data of extreme interest to builders, particularly in regard to ceiling treatment.

Experiments have shown that an ordinary lath and plaster ceiling, when dry, has a fire resistance of not more than 5 minutes. At the end of which time, both the floor joists and floor boards above it will be in flames. This is the reason for so many buildings being gutted when the fire originates on the ground floor. At the Bestobell works at Slough, where a special building has been erected for such tests, two dummy first-floor rooms have been built, both made of match-boarded, but one having a lath and plaster ceiling below it and the other one of the various forms of ceilings developed by this firm. In every case where fire has been applied underneath both rooms simultaneously, the room with the lath and plaster ceiling below it has been gutted within a very short time and the other has remained intact.

FIRST RESISTANCE

It is not always fully realised that the addition of even the thinnest asbestos paper to inflammable material enormously increases its fire resistance. As an example, fire resistance of three-ply wood is not more than 2½ minutes, but if only one ply of asbestos paper, no more than 0.01 in. thick is applied to its surface, its fire resistance is increased to nearly 4 minutes, and it has been shown that even such thickness of asbestos paper by itself, if suitably supported, will actually resist any flame condition for several hours.

It is not difficult, therefore, to visualise a greatly increasing use of asbestos materials for building purposes as the trade itself becomes more familiar with the various forms in which this mineral fibre is available as manufactured products.

area, on the Yellow River, Yangtze River, Hwai River, and in Hupeh Province.

(2) An increase in the number of hydrological stations throughout the country.

(3) The making of new topographic surveys, special attention being paid to the possibilities of air-surveying. The surveys, during the current year, are being carried out on the middle Yangtze in Hupeh (by air); in the Hotoi region in Su'uan; on the Chang Ho in Hopei; on the upper Yung T'ing Ho in Shensi and Chahar; and at the mouth of the Yellow River in Shantung.

(4) The completion of the Hydraulic Laboratory at Nanking. The laboratory, as its first task, will conduct experiments on the regulation of the Yangtze River at Ma Tang and the port of Chin-kiang.

(5) Extension of the North China Observatory.

The National Economic Council attaches great importance to this part of its programme. So many are the factors which must be considered in projects of water conservancy, so heavy is the capital investment usually involved, that they should be undertaken only if based on the most ample data. Otherwise they may prove total or partial failures, causing the waste of resources which can be spared. The Government recognises that arrangements for research have not hitherto been adequate. The collection of data by institutions having no contact with one another; the lack of standard instruments and standard methods of calculation; the neglect of important branches of research (especially of the relation between irrigation and different types of soil), are some of the most obvious defects, which the N.E.C. plans to remedy during the current year.

ENGINEERING AND BUILDING

AIR CONDITIONING

Notable Advances During 1934

Mr. Elliott Harrington, engineer of the Air Conditioning Department of the General Electric Company, of New York, writes that the year 1934 witnessed a general advance in the air conditioning industry, due in large measure to the improved public knowledge of air-conditioning benefits to comfort and health.

Air-conditioning for profit, wherein the purchaser obtains increased income, is still to the fore. Drug and department stores began the adoption of air-conditioning on a rather broad scale during 1934, and a substantial number of offices and apartments were air-conditioned during the year. A serious beginning of hotel air-conditioning, as applied to guest-rooms, resulted in installations of large capacity and a substantial number of smaller installations. Prior to 1934, there were only a few completely air-conditioned homes in the United States. During the year, however, an appreciable number of homes were air-conditioned for year-round service, and it may be truthfully said that the complete air-conditioning of homes has begun. Railway air-conditioning expanded to the point where travellers now demand space in air-conditioned cars.

BROADER RECOGNITION

One of the marked trends developing during the year was a broader recognition of the central system method for air-conditioning. Usually the lowest cost and most effective system is of the central type, where more than one room is conditioned, and usually where even a single room is conditioned, provided it is possible to install the distribution ducts or piping. These central systems take two forms, depending upon local conditions. In other words, the central system may completely condition the air at the location in the building, delivering the conditioned air through a duct system to the various points of use, or water may be used as a transfer medium between the central plant and various units located in the space to be conditioned. Notable installations of both types were made during the year.

Until recently, summer conditioning, or simply cooling, constituted the public's conception of the art. However, it is now becoming recognised that definite benefits accrue from winter conditioning, through the control of humidity, circulation and cleanliness of the air.

In the fundamental art of air-conditioning there was increased research activity. A number of additional hospitals, and medical schools undertook further identification of the benefits of air-conditioning to health and the therapeutic effects upon patients. Considerable factual data was added to the working knowledge of the air-conditioning engineer, particularly in the form of improved summer conditioning standards. The great importance of even air distribution, elimination of draughts, and reduction of temperature gradient between floor and ceiling was fully recognised for the first time, and means developed to successfully handle these problems. The matter of noise became more fully understood, and it is possible to-day to install a complete air-conditioning system to meet any reasonable noise level, provided the exact requirements are known in advance.

The year witnessed considerable refinement of detail in air-conditioning apparatus, improved manufacturing methods, and certain desirable operating improvements.

UNIT CONDITIONER

Typical of these is the year-round unit conditioner, which controls the four elements of air-conditioning the year round. Basically, it consists of a refrigerating unit for cooling and dehumidifying; a heating unit taking steam from a central supply; a new type of humidifier, offering substantial advantages; particularly when used with water having a high hardness content, filters and direct ventilation for controlling the cleanliness of the air, and a blower to

provide the necessary air circulation. A particular feature of this unit is the air delivery, where in the warm winter-conditioned air is delivered over the floor and allowed to rise naturally. The cool summer-conditioned air is delivered overhead and allowed to fall naturally. Thus draughts are eliminated, a small temperature difference between floor and ceiling is produced, and improved comfort results.

Another product development which caused considerable interest during 1934 was the air circulator, a simple and relatively inexpensive device which is based on the premise that out-of-door air is cooler than indoor air during about half of each 24-hour day. This air circulator is a portable device, usually mounted in the attic before an open window, with ordinary electrical connection to the nearest convenience outlet. It operates to bring in a large volume of outside air, through any windows which are open, whenever the outside air temperature is lower than the inside temperature. It must operate very quietly and without vibration, since its greatest utility is realised at night.

Public recognition of air-conditioning will undoubtedly continue to grow. Railroads will increase the number of completely air-conditioned cars. The conditioning of hotel guest-rooms will grow rapidly. The air-conditioning of various other commercial establishments will continue the present healthy expansion. More homes will be completely air-conditioned, and generally speaking, a further substantial step will be taken toward the day when air-conditioning of the enclosures wherein we live and work becomes a universally recognised necessity for enjoying the full benefits of comfort and health.

MECHANICAL GULLY EMPTYING

How Systems Differ

The advantages of modern mechanical methods for emptying street gullies and disposing of the refuse, as opposed to the old horse and cart and semi-manual methods, are obvious. But as the various mechanical methods now in use vary considerably in principle and practice, it is well worth studying some of the salient points.

For instance, it has been computed that, as a result of flushing the gullies, in the London area alone thousands of tons of solid matter are forced into the sewers annually, with detrimental results in the way of stoppages. On the other hand, the system on which all Fowler motor gully emptiers, for example, operate is that the entire contents of the gullies is withdrawn by vacuum into the sludge tank, where by a patented method the liquid is drained from the solid refuse, thus enabling a greater number of gullies to be emptied before it is necessary to discharge, while the refuse is taken to the dump in a semi-dry condition.

By this means gullies cannot be flushed, but are cleansed and resealed with clean water, and over 200 gullies can be dealt with in a normal working day.

Another point is the choice of a chassis. It frequently happens that among the vehicles comprising the fleet of a city or town, there is one which is surplus to requirements or past its prime for economical fast transport. A self-contained gully-emptying apparatus provides an opportunity for extending the useful life of such a chassis; for this comparatively easy work, it will serve admirably, for the functioning of the Fowler gully-emptying apparatus is entirely independent of the chassis. Thus, should the chassis become too old for further service, no difficulty need be experienced in transferring the apparatus to another. Again, it can be handled by any type of haulage unit,

MARINE AUXILIARIES

Design And Construction

When considering the combination of components for ship's auxiliaries it is necessary to give special consideration both to design and construction if the best results are to be obtained. Hurdled or thoughtless work in this direction will often cause inefficiency and sometime real trouble. In consequence special care is always given to see that ship's auxiliaries supplies conform to the best practice in all cases. How the requirements of the Severn & Canal Carrying Company were met with regard to the auxiliary set for their petrolium carrying vessel "Severn Tanker" makes good reading. Electricity for lighting and cooking and compressed air for starting and manoeuvring the main engine were required, and owing to the highly inflammable nature of the cargo the greatest precaution had to be taken to see that the generator was flame proof.

The set as built comprises a 6 b.h.p. Petter Atomic Engine running at 900 r.p.m., fitted with marine type water cooled exhaust silencer, which provides the motive power. The generator is a 3 k.w. 110 volt machine manufactured by Stamford Electrical Company. An extension of the armature shaft at the commutator end takes a sprocket for the chain drive of the circulating pump, and also the driving member of the clutch for the compressor. This latter is a Hamworthy compressor capable of dealing with 9 cubic feet of free air per minute, the delivery pressure being 350 lbs. per square inch. For circulating the cooling water, the 1 inch Albany pump delivers water right to the compressor, then to the engine and

on to the silencer where the outlet is situated.

To ensure a compact arrangement, the usual cast iron under-base was removed from the engine, and the crankcase oil drain tank forms an integral part of the baseplate. This also ensures a low crankshaft centre line, which allows the generator case to be underslung. A fabricated mild steel baseplate gives a good construction to the varying methods of support for the different components, and adds to the advantages of the set by a saving in weight over a cast iron one. The use of fabricated steel baseplates allows this part to be specially constructed to meet individual requirements. It therefore gives considerable latitude in design as regards the layout and avoids the use of costly patterns for special jobs.

BLAST FURNACE GAS CLEANING

In connection with the erection of steel works in China it is of interest to read about similar enterprises in South Africa where steel works have recently been started up at Pretoria by the South African Iron and Steel Industrial Corporation, which is claimed to be among the most up-to-date in the world. One of the main portions of their equipment is the blast furnace plant with a capacity of 5500 tons of pig-iron per 24 hours. In this connection also, electrostatic plant on the latest two-stage principle is installed, cleaning down to much lower than the ordinary gas engine standard of 0.0088 grains of dust per cubic foot.

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Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Calne Road:—

August 18.—Tenth Sunday After Pentecost:—

MORNING SERVICES

1st Mass at 8 with sermon in Chinese.

2nd Mass at 8.30 with sermon in Chinese.

3rd Mass at 10.30 with sermon in English.

EVENING SERVICES

At 4 Benediction of Blessed Sacrament.

August 19.—Solemn High Mass in honour of St. Roch, at 7.30.

August 20.—Feast of St. Bernard, Doctor of the Church.

August 21.—Feast of St. Bartolomeu, Apostle.

On week days Mass at 6 and 7.30.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

The following are the forthcoming services, etc. at St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon Tong:—

Saturday, August 17:—

3 p.m.—Meeting of St. Teresa's Chinese Young Men at the Rectory for visit to the sick.

8 p.m.—Meeting of St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S. Study Circle (English Section), on the Society's Premises. Mr. Joseph Chan will read a paper on "Human Soul: Its Spirituality and Immortality."

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CINEMA TRADE NOTICES

MURDER IN THE CLOUDS

"Murder in the Clouds" the first National production which is scheduled as the feature attraction on Sunday at Alhambra is a melodramatic mystery thriller with a most amazing plot involving the commission of whole sale murder thousands of feet in air.

The story by two noted magazine writers, Roy Chansior and Dore Schary, is one of fast and furious action, breath-taking suspense and enough thrills to pack a dozen pictures. It evolves about the secret attempt of international spies to steal the formula from the United States Government of a new high explosive, and to obtain which they are willing to commit any crime.

The blowing up of an airplane with its passengers and crew far up above the clouds and the subsequent chases, after the air robbers and murderers by army planes, involving machine gun battles, the shooting down of airships, thrilling parachute jumps from burning and falling ships, add to the intensity of the dramatic situations.

There is also a flaming romance which two air-pilots battle for the love of Ann Dvorak.

Lytle Talbot and Gordon Westcott are the rivals. Westcott is one of the conspirators.

A corps of famous air pilots took part with the members of the cast in the flying scenes, including Gordon Herberger, Dick Renaldi, Frank Clarke, Howard Batte and Frank Tomick. At Keene Camp, high in the San Jacinto mountains of California, every sort of air plane stunt was performed for the picture including barrel-rolls, Immelmans, wing-overs, fish tails and others.

In the cast Robert Light, George Cooper, Edward MacVade and Clay Clement also have roles of importance. Henry O'Neill is head of the U.S. Government Agents, Charles Wilson is manager of the airport, Russell Hicks head of the international spies and Arthur

PRIVATE WORLDS

Phyllis Bottomo's widely read and engrossing story of a woman who learned to cast aside the dream of love for reality, "Private Worlds" has been filmed by Paramount and comes on Sunday to the King's Theatre, with Claudette Colbert in the starring role.

A psychological love drama revealing the tears and inhibitions that are the true villains of romance, "Private Worlds" is set in the strange and dramatic background of a hospital for the insane. Its heroine is a woman doctor who clings to the memory of a sweetheart she lost in the war. She has insight into the mental ills of others but does not realize that this strange attachment is threatening her own mind.

Her two professional colleagues are Joel McCrea, whom she likes and respects, and Charles Boyer, a French doctor whom she instinctively dislikes.

The living drama of this little group reaches its climax when McCrea is lured from his wife, Joan Bennett, by the doctor's vampire sister and Miss Bennett becomes critically ill. Then a riot in the hospital endangers all their lives.

Under the desperate stress of emergency Miss Colbert and Boyer forget their differences, work harmonically to set things right again and discover in the process that their pretended hatred had really hidden a growing love for each other.

Helen Vinson, Jean Rouverol and Big Boy Williams also appear in the case of "Private Worlds," which was directed by Gregory La Cava.

Pierson, Eddie Shubert, Wheeler Oakland and Nick Copeland, among his accomplices.

The picture was directed by D. Ross Lederman.

THE DARING YOUNG MAN
A FOX Picture with
JAMES DUNN
MAE CLARKE
TO-MORROW
in "PRIVATE WORLDS" with CHARLES BOYER

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THE INSIDE STORY OF THE GOVERNMENT WAR ON CRIME
Dramatic dynamite, as you follow the blazing exploits of the men who defy death in the war on crime!
Public Hero NUMBER 1
Lionel Barrymore, Jean Arthur, Chester Morris, Joseph Calleia, John Barrymore, Joseph Calleia, John Barrymore, Joseph Calleia

PUBLIC HERO NO. 1 At The Queen's

Public Hero No. 1, which opened its season at the Queen's Theatre yesterday has as its hero the United States Department of Justice.

The picture is naturally one concerning gangsters. Opening with a scene in a large model prison, it leads rapidly to a climax of a gun-brook in the first ten minutes. The picture has not one moment when the tension slackens. There are several totally unexpected surprises which prevent it from being the usual gangster film and make it instead a real credit to author, producer, and cast.

Although the plot is not actually true of any particular group of criminals, it has, in its different parts, been taken from facts. The gun-brook had its real counterpart less than a year ago, and in the "execution" of the "public enemy," outside a moving picture, theatre, many in the audience will recall the sensational death of Dillinger. Chester Morris is the federal detective, and although he is not usually given such major parts as this to play, he handles it well and deserves great praise. Lionel Barrymore, as a drunken doctor, has barely two sane and lucid moments in the entire story. Joseph Calleia, the "public enemy," has a small part, but Jean Arthur, as his sister, carries her dramatic scenes as well as her comedy ones O.M.O.

ROBBERS OPEN FIRE ON POLICE

Shanghai, Aug. 13. Several shots were exchanged between a gang of robbers and the Chinese police in Wangkatsa district, Nantao, on Sunday night, following a robbery at 1-Cheng Yi alleyway. All the shots went wild, and the gang escaped with loot estimated at more than \$100.

Four robbers, two of whom were armed with pistols entered the house shortly after 10.45 p.m. With one man maintaining a watch at the entrance, the other three intimidated the occupants, and obtained \$15 in cash and several gold rings. One of the neighbours, who saw the gang decamp with pistols in hand, raised an alarm. A policeman chased the men, who opened fire. The shots were replied to, but the gangsters escaped.

CHIEF SCOUT'S WORLD TOUR

(Special Air Mail Service)
London, July 29. Lord Baden-Powell, the Chief Scout, and Lady Baden-Powell, the Chief Guide, arrived at Southampton yesterday from New York on the conclusion of their nine months' world tour, during which they have inspected Scouts and Guides in many different parts of the world.

"I have seen Scouts of every colour, class, and creed," said Lord Baden-Powell. "I have visited leper colonies for the blind, cripples, and otherwise disabled boys."

There was little difference to be detected, he said, in the extent to which the ideals and spirit of scouting had been grasped by all.

"We found the expression of loyalty to the Throne very pronounced, not only at the Australian Jamboree, but wherever we went in the colonies and protectorates," he added. The movement in Canada was rapidly growing, and there were now 85,000 Scouts and 43,000 Guides there.

THE RIGHT TO LIVE At The Alhambra

"The Right to Live" a Warner Bros. picture which opened its season at the Alhambra yesterday deals with a most daring and unusual theme in which a beautiful young woman is confronted by the problem of whether she has the right to live her own life, to love and be happy, or to remain with her hopelessly crippled husband.

In the picture the girl falls in love with her husband's brother, after the husband has been crippled by a terrific airplane crash, and is torn between her desire for love and the duties of life and her feeling of duty towards the man she married.

In the picture are starred Josephine Hutchinson, Collin Clive, George Brent, Peggy Wood and others.

It is a delightful picture full of emotional sequences.—I. F.

MISUNDERSTANDINGS IN H.M. POLICE COURT

Britisher Summoned

Shanghai, Aug. 13. Mr. F. T. Harrop, who was charged in H.M. Police Court, yesterday, with disobeying the traffic signal of a Chinese constable of the French police, pleaded guilty, but later, on the advice of the Registrar, Mr. C. H. Haines, he changed his plea to not guilty. Finally, he pleaded guilty again and the case was dismissed with a caution.

Two French police officers, representing the prosecution, when asked to produce their witness, said it was impossible, because the man was in hospital, suffering from typhoid fever. They had, they said, a written statement by the constable.

The Registrar said he could not take a written statement as evidence and, on learning that the man would not be fit again for at least one month, suggested a six weeks' adjournment, whereupon the defendant, who said he was not anxious to delay matters, changed his plea again to guilty.

The Registrar said he thought the proper course would be to wait until the constable was able to give evidence.

Defendant replied that he would rather end the matter by pleading guilty. "I plead guilty," he said, "under protest."

OBJECTION TO "FINE"

What he objected to, the defendant said, was that the French police had asked him to pay a fine of \$2. They gave him no opportunity to explain. He added that when, in the past, he had been fined \$1, he had always paid it. In this case, however, he was said to have driven past a policeman, who was holding up his right of way, an allegation which he totally denied.

The Registrar told Mr. Harrop he had acted perfectly within his rights. The French police had no right to fine British subjects. If, however, British subjects chose to pay \$1 or \$2 to the French police, to avoid further proceedings, that was a matter for themselves to decide.

Sub-Inspector J. Croes, asked by the Registrar why the French police had asked Mr. Harrop to pay the fine, replied that it was their custom to send letters to petty traffic offenders stating that, if a sum of \$1 or \$2 was paid the matter was ended. It was not a question of

DARING YOUNG MAN Fast Comedy

Fast action is certainly not lacking in "Fast Young Man" the James Dunn-Mae Clarke picture now showing at the King's Theatre. Dunn plays the role of a newspaper reporter who is never tired of airing his very strong views on marriage until he meets Mae Clarke, also a reporter but of a different paper.

As is usual in such cases, the hard-boiled woman-hater falls like a ton of bricks and as the result of a whirlwind courtship he arranges to lead his love to the altar. On the eve of the marriage, however, his editor, who wants an inside story on prison life, has him thrown into gaol and what a gaol! Favoured prisoners are allowed telephones, radios, cafe meals and occasional leave of absence.

Meanwhile the bride-elect has discovered her fiancé's predicament and arrives at the prison to see what she can do about it. At she succeeds in doing is to get locked up herself. But why tell the whole story.

The principals' acting is magnificent and they are ably supported by a fine cast which includes Neil Hamilton, Madge Bellamy, Warren Hymer, Sidney Toler, Jack La Rue, Raymond Hatton, Arthur Treacher and Frank Melton. N.M.

ALL QUIET ON THE RICKSHAW FRONT

Shanghai, Aug. 13. The rickshaw trouble between rickshaw owners and the French Municipal Council, which, through the French police, has insisted on the registration of all public rickshaw pullers in the French Concession, now seems at an end.

Yesterday there was no sign, either in the French Concession or in Nantao, of renewed conflict. Rickshaw owners were no longer stirring up strife and were content to pay registration licences. The pullers, who struck in sympathy with the attitude taken up by the owners, are once again back at work.

Four coolies who, were recently caught red-handed deflating rickshaw tyres, appeared yesterday in the 2nd Special District Court. Three of them were sentenced to fifteen days imprisonment while the fourth was found not guilty.

With the exception of 20 rickshaws, all vehicles, detained by the French police have been returned to the owners, who are now complying with the new regulation. Since August 10 over 1,200 pullers have been registered by the French police.

enforcing payment. Motorists always were at liberty to come to the French police and discuss the matter and, if the police were not satisfied with the explanation, the case was taken to Court.

The defendant said that, as far as he could remember, the letter from the French police stated he was either to pay \$2 or have action taken against him.

After listening to the explanation of the French police representatives, the Registrar said it appeared to be a misunderstanding by both parties and in the circumstances he proposed to dismiss the case with a caution. "The next time you have a witness missing," he added to Sub-Inspector Croes, "you must let me know."

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—"The Daring Young Man"
QUEEN'S:—"Public Hero No. 1"
ORIENTAL:—"Under Pressure"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—"Right To Live"
MAJESTIC:—"Biography of a Bachelor Girl"

Sunday

KING'S:—"Private Worlds"
QUEEN'S:—"Public Hero No. 1"
ALHAMBRA:—"Murder In The Clouds"
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MAJESTIC:—"Night Life of the Gods"

NON-STOP REVUE

Coming To The King's

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GIRL DROWNS WHEN SAMPAN UPSETS

Shanghai, Aug. 13. A 21-year-old Chinese girl was drowned and five others were thrown into the Whangpoo when the steam launch Wang Ziang Zo upset. A Lamidu sampan near the Kiangan dock late on Saturday night, it was reported yesterday. The launch was at the Customs barrier, and some passengers called the sampan alongside and informed the loadah that they wished to be taken ashore. The loadah readily assented, and brought his sampan alongside.

While the sampan was alongside the launch, the latter suddenly lurched forward, its stern catching the bow of the sampan, and the four passenger who had already got aboard, and the loadah and his daughter were thrown into the river. The crew of the launch immediately set about rescuing those in the water. All were brought in but the girl, and nothing was seen of her from the moment she fell into the river.

The engineer of the launch stated that, as soon as the Customs Inspector had passed the passengers through the Customs, he started the launch forward, as usual. He did not know at the time the sampan was alongside the launch. Immediately upon hearing the cries of the passengers, he stopped the launch and set the crew rescue work.

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FAMILY AFFAIR ENDS IN MURDER

Shanghai, Aug. 13.

A family quarrel in Chinese territory last night resulted in one man being stabbed to death through the heart, an old Chinese woman being wounded, and a Chinese girl receiving minor injuries. The perpetrator of the crime, one Ong Nyl of unknown address, is believed to be still at large. He is being sought by officers of the Bureau of Public Safety while the old Chinese woman is lying in the Red Cross Hospital in a serious condition.

It appears that Ong Nyl, who was married to the sister of Lee Chu-sung, finding his wife missing from home, went to Lee Chu Sung's house, which is near the Sixth Division Public Safety Bureau Station off Jessfield Road, and demanded an explanation.

Hot words ensued between the two men and Ong Nyl, drawing a knife, stabbed Lee through the heart. Lee's mother and niece, who were in the room, he also attacked. Lee's mother was wounded in the abdomen and the niece received minor injuries around the shoulder and arms.

OMNIBUS INSPECTOR SHOT

Shanghai, Aug. 12. Mistaken for a police officer, a Korean omnibus inspector was shot by fleeing robbers in Kinchow Road, near Ward Road, at about 8.20 p.m. yesterday. He was sent to the Foo Ming Hospital, where his condition was reported to be grave at a late hour last night. The robbers, four in number, all of whom were armed with pistols, entered a Chinese shop selling woollen goods at 430 Ward Road shortly after 8 p.m. After intimidating the occupants, the gang started looting, carrying away with them a small box containing about \$100 cash.

No sooner had the gang decamped than an alarm was raised. The robbers started running, fleeing in two directions. In Kinchow Road, the robbers met the Korean "inspector" in uniform. Thinking he was a police officer, one of the gangsters opened fire without warning. The bullet struck the victim in the body.

The judge was trying to secure a jury for the trial of a criminal. A man was being questioned as to his fitness for jury service. "Do you believe in capital punishment?" asked the judge. "Yes," replied the man, "if it isn't too severe."

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EVIDENCE OF RETURNING PROSPERITY

Confirmed By Statistics

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 29. General impressions that the prosperity tide is flowing strongly again are confirmed by the statistics of retail trade, and by the latest railway returns issued yesterday. The figures published by the Board of Trade show that in June the total value of sales was better by 5.8 per cent. than in June last year. The railways, in spite of the normal seasonal decrease in coal traffic, earned last week £55,000 more than they earned a year ago, very substantial rises in the number of passengers and in the amount of merchandise carried being responsible for the increase.

It is not difficult to suggest the background of these very encouraging signs of gathering prosperity. Retail sales and railway traffic reflect with automatic exactitude the condition of the people. Men and women who are feeling the pinch buy as little as they can, even of what the retail trade returns describe as "food and perishables." In other words, they allow themselves no treats; they stay at home. In June the sales of food and perishables increased by over 7 per cent. as compared with June last year. That tells its own tale. Scotland, by the way, had the biggest rise in food and perishables—over 8 per cent.—and the Scot is pre-eminently frugal. When the

MIDNIGHT SENATORS

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 29. None will miss the late Dr. Joseph Hunter more than his fellow members of the "Midnight Senate."

This little coterie of resident members of the National Liberal Club, consisting of Dr. Hunter, Sir Miles Mitchell, Mr. Herbert Holdsworth, M.P., Major H. E. Crawford, and Mr. William McKear, M.P., have been in the habit of meeting night after night at the club when the House rose.

They would go on discussing politics and current affairs until two o'clock in the morning. Dr. Hunter was the most regular member of the "Senate," and his contributions among the most appreciated. At the funeral to-day there will be a wreath inscribed: "In affectionate remembrance from the remaining members of the Midnight Senate, National Liberal Club, London. We knew him. We loved him. Our debates will be desolate without him."

figures show also, as they do, marked June rises in the sales of men's and boys' wear, boots and shoes, and furniture, the evidence of gathering prosperity is still clearer. There has been, too, a perceptible rise in employment in retail establishments; and that, perhaps, is the best news in the June statistics.

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Around the Courts

DEATH INQUIRY

An enquiry was held at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday into the circumstances attending the death of a married Chinese woman, Li Lin (34) who fell into a well on July 21 at Tung Tau Pillage, and was drowned.

Mr. Thomson sat as Coroner, while the jury empanelled were: Messrs. A. J. Pile (foreman), E. Abraham and Shum Sze Chung.

In the course of the evidence given in Court, it was revealed that a pig-wash carrier, named Li Kap without hesitation dived into the well in an attempt to rescue the unfortunate woman, and in returning their verdict, the jury strongly recommended that his commendable act should "be recognised in some tangible way, if possible."

After consideration for only a few minutes the jury returned a verdict as follows:

"The verdict is one of accidental death caused through the planks of the well being rotten. We consider that something should be done, at once to cover in or protect the well in a proper way. Li Kap is to be complimented, we suggest that his deed be recognised in some tangible way, if possible." "We wish to express sympathy with the deceased relatives."

Lum Tai, deceased's mother-in-law in evidence said that at about 6 a.m. on July 21, the infant son of the deceased was crying, and she (witness) carried it on her back, and went to look for the deceased. When she approached the well, she noticed that there was only one bucket near it, and examining the well more closely, she was alarmed to see a clog, which she recognised as belonging to her daughter-in-law floating in the well. Some planks were floating by the clog in question.

Sensing trouble, she raised an alarm by shouting "save life." Not many minutes later Li Kap, a pig-wash carrier arrived on the scene, and dived into the well.

A little later she saw a number of people attempting to revive her daughter in law, but without success.

Dr. Henry, medical officer in charge of the Kowloon Mortuary said that there was no external sign of any violence on the deceased, death being due to drowning. After further evidence was taken from other witnesses of the mishap, a verdict as stated above was returned.

TRAFFIC CASES

Fines were imposed on several Europeans yesterday by Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy when convicted of infringements of the traffic regulations.

Mrs. B. Hyde Lay, of No. 1340 Argyle Street, was fined \$5 for causing an obstruction by leaving her car No. 963 in Saigon Street, near the Majestic Theatre.

The same fine was imposed upon G. W. Arnold, of No. 114 Waterloo Road, and Mrs. Rose E. Souza, driver of private car No. 2350, for a like offence.

For driving motor-cycle No. 35 in Peking Road near Hankow Road on July 30, without a licence, F. Toman, of No. 2 Minden Avenue, first floor, was fined \$5.

A. C. Geffreys, of the Hong Kong Telephone Company, and A. V. Young, of No. 7 Fa Yuen Street, were both fined \$3 each for driving their cars without lights.

INDIAN CAUTIONED

A caution was administered to Ahmad Khan, 24, unemployed by Mr. Q.A.A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday, when the defendant was charged with arriving in the Colony without a valid passport.

Sergeant F. E. Russell stated that the defendant arrived in Hong Kong on August 1 with a passport that was not valid for Hong Kong. The passport was endorsed for one single trip to Hong Kong and that journey was made by the defendant last year. He had since lived in Amoy. Defendant was intending to obtain work as a licensed watchman, but as there were so many licensed watchmen unemployed in the Colony at present, the police did not see their way to granting him a licence.

The magistrate thought the defendant might have made a genuine mistake regarding a certain endorsement on his passport and cautioned him accordingly.

ASSAULT CASE

Chu Fung and Li Wo who were charged with the assault on Cheung Suk Hing at the Coffee Plantation, Sookunpoo, on July 11, while she was attending her father-in-law's funeral were again in court at the Central Magistracy yesterday before Mr. W. Schofield.

Mr. Lo Hin Shing, instructed by Mr. F. I. Zimmerman appeared for the complainant while Mr. H. C. Lee appeared for the defendants.

Yeung Hui a married woman giving evidence stated that on July 11 she also attended the funeral as she was complainant's younger brother's wife. She said that at the entrance to the pavilion, the second defendant held complainant by the neck while the first defendant started to hit her with his fists.

Witnessing the assault witness went over and tried to help her, but before she could do anything the second defendant pushed her away. She then blew a police whistle but another man who was not in court snatched the whistle out of her hand.

After further evidence was given the case was adjourned.

RESISTING ARREST

Pang Ming, a seaman was charged before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday with the possession of 23 tael of raw opium and resisting arrest at the Tai Ping Wharf on Thursday.

Fines of \$400, in default, four months' hard labour, on the first charge, and \$100, in default two months' on the second, the sentences to run consecutively were imposed.

Prosecuting Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit said that the defendant was carrying the opium concealed in his waist. He was challenged when coming off the Tai Ping Wharf by Chinese Revenue Officer No. 27. He ran away, was arrested by the Revenue Officer, but struggled and broke loose again.

He was again arrested, and began fighting. The Revenue Officer then sounded his whistle, and three other Revenue Officers arrived. It eventually took the four of them to "frog march" the defendant along to the Revenue Office.

"This fighting and running away has become quite prevalent recently, and we are going to charge them with obstruction in future," said Mr. Grimmit. "Revenue Officer No. 27 is not a big man, and the defendant threw him around like a piece of rag, until the others arrived. Probably the defendant is used to bullying people in his own village."

SNATCHER DISCHARGED

Charged with having attempted to snatch a bag from Lai Yaw, widow, Shag Ka, (23) was discharged with a caution, when he appeared before Mr. Q.A.A. Macfadyen at Central Magistracy yesterday.

Det.-Sergt. T. Cashman prosecuted.

Complainant stated that while she was walking along Wing Fat Street defendant came from behind and attempted to snatch her bag. She gave chase, and a district watchman arrested defendant near the Western Market.

Defendant said that he was forced to do this as he was starving. He had just arrived from Canton and had no money.

FORGED DOCUMENTS

Before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Tsang Fung, 23, unemployed, was charged with having demanded property on forged documents. Defendant was formally remanded until to-day.

The complainant was Mr. F. H. Fisher, Hong Kong representative of the British American Tobacco Company.

Detective Sub-Inspector C. Poynta who prosecuted stated that at about 8 p.m. on Wednesday defendant went to the Luen Chong tobacco shop, an authorised dealer of the British American Tobacco Company and produced 150 forged coupons. He handed them to a clerk and asked for 70 cents per hundred. As the clerk was counting them, he became suspicious and asked defendant to wait and he went to ascertain whether the coupons were genuine or not. On his return he found that defendant had left, but one of the clerk knew which direction he had taken, and was followed and arrested him.

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On the application of Traffic-Sergeant Bethell at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Mr. Wynne-Jones made an order for the confiscation of 880 taels of raw opium which was found at Nan Chang Street near Hui Tan Street, Shamshui, at 11.15 p.m. yesterday.

Chul Yan, 43, an unemployed handshoe appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court, yesterday, charged with entering the Colony before his term of punishment had expired. Sub-Inspector Tyler prosecuted, and defendant was sentenced to one year imprisonment.

MR. LO KAM CHAK

The death occurred at his residence at No. 23 Mosque Street on Thursday of Mr. Lo Kam Chak at the age of 50 years.

Deceased had up to his death been connected with the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs in

which department he was the Chief Translator.

Born on June 23, 1885, the late Mr. Lo Kam-chak received his first appointment in the Government on November 1, 1911, and later became a higher class clerk in the Junior Clerical Service. He has been in the S.C.A. offices for over twenty years.

Deceased is survived by a wife, two sons and three daughters, with whom much sympathy is felt.

Charged with adultery, Chan Siu-hung, 32, Chinese doctor, of No. 508 Prince Edward Road, and Pok Mo-kin, 23, married woman, were remanded to 2.30 p.m. on August 22, when they appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Inspector K. W. Andrews of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, appeared for the prosecution. Bail in the sum of \$300 each was allowed. The complainant was Sham Kiu-hung 30, a dentist.

Found on the roof of No. 35 Tung Choi Street at 11.15 p.m. on Thursday, Leung Wah, 30, carpenter, was brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday and sentenced to six weeks' hard labour. Detective-Sergeant Allen stated that a man named Chan Kin entered the stairway of the address and heard a noise. He immediately went to investigate and found defendant just about to climb a drainpipe on the roof.

Gajjan Singh, 22, licensed watchman, pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday to a charge of disorderly behaviour by being drunk in Pedder Street near Queen's Road Central. Sergeant J. E. Scott stated that the defendant was standing in the middle of the road blowing his police whistle. He stated that he was being assaulted and was apparently under the influence of drink. Defendant was bound over.

DEATH INQUIRY

Victim Of Dog Bite

Conducting an inquiry of unusual interest to the public, Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones sat as Coroner at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon, to ascertain the circumstances attending the death of Cheung Yau (19) of an unnumbered hut at Ma Tau Kok who succumbed to hydrophobia at the Kowloon Hospital on July 20 after having been bitten by a dog on the night of June 15.

The jury empanelled were: Messrs. Archibald W. Hopes (foreman), Samuel Grey, and Carlos Amunphy, and after evidence was given by two doctors and the dresser in the employ of the Medical Department, the inquiry was adjourned until Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 p.m.

It was revealed at the inquiry that three of the five persons alleged to have been bitten by the same dog, had succumbed to the dread disease and in reminding the jury that they were to inquire into the circumstances attending the death of one of the three persons, the Coroner said that they must pay particular attention to the history of the case, which was very important.

It appeared that on June 15, deceased was bitten by a dog at Ma Tau Kok and some time later two other persons were also attacked and bitten by the same animal.

The next day two further persons were bitten by the dog, which was eventually shot by a Police reservist.

The five persons in question were then collected, and sent to the hospital where they all received a course of injections.

The brain of the animal was extracted and when sent to the Government Bacteriologist, was found to be rabid.

THREE DEATHS

Deceased received a course of fourteen injections which were completed on July 2 and later he developed symptoms of hydrophobia, from which he died. Another one of the five also developed symptoms of rabies from which she succumbed, and still a third, Leung Tai, also died.

The Coroner said that he was not sure of the facts just yet, but he thought she had died up-country, so that in all, three of the five patients had succumbed after receiving the usual treatment.

This was a matter for serious consideration, continued the Coroner, and they (the jury) had to go into the case very carefully. They might even be able to obtain facts from the inquiry that might be of use to the medical authorities.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE

Dr. Greaves, Government Bacteriologist said that about June 19 he received from the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon the brain of a dog for examination for evidence of rabies. It contained negri bodies which were definite evidence of infection of rabies. On July 22 he received the brain of one Cheung Yau from the Kowloon Hospital for examination. He could not find any trace of the negri bodies, but the brain was congested and other signs showed an inflammation of the brain. The blood vessels were filled, and there was an increase in the number of cells of the brain. He could not, however, say anything more than that the deceased had died from an inflammation of the brain.

For hydrophobia it was quite a constant diagnosis as the absence of the negri's bodies, did not rule it out.

The symptoms he noted, were constant also with infection with other virus diseases, such as small pox, measles, etc., but the external symptoms were hardly likely to be confused.

On August 9, he received another human brain bearing the label, Wu Tai from the Kowloon Hospital, in which the negri's bodies were present. The symptoms were other wise almost identical to the previous brain. He arrived at a conclusion that the patient had definitely suffered from rabies.

Witness said that the negri's bodies were small and rounded, reddish in colour, which were found in certain cells of the brain.

SOURCES OF INFECTION

The virus of rabies affected the nervous system particularly, and passed from the nervous system through the saliva almost entirely. The saliva of animals has been known to be affected before the symptoms have occurred. Once the

OBITUARY

Mr. F. A. M. Barretto

The funeral of the late Mr. Frederico A. M. Barretto was held yesterday evening at the Roman Catholic Cemetery and was largely attended. The Rev. Father F. A. Rossi assisted by Fathers Spada and Rosello officiated at the last rites.

The principal mourners were: His two brothers Alberto and Carlos, and among those present were:—Messrs. G. F. D'Aquino, A. Gomes, S. Marcal, A. Gutierrez, A. V. Gosano, M. Andres, J. Rocha, C. Xavier, A. J. V. Ribeiro, J. Rodrigues, A. Castro, A. J. C. Rocha, A. C. V. Ribeiro, F. Sequeira, L. Sequeira, J. Dalgado, L. J. Silva, E. Gosano, L. V. Antonio, C. Stiegler, F. Loureiro, V. Xavier, J. Baptista, J. Remedios, F. L. Silva, F. Garcia, Dr. J. Barnes, F. F. Wudhrich, T. Claassen, D. Boomsma, P. Dekok, J. Van Houton, H. Dixon, H. A. Pinan, E. M. Sequeira, A. Rocha, A. Barros, A. Ribeiro, J. S. Rodrigues, C. Vas, G. Vas, T. Vas, L. Ribeiro, Miss A. d'Almada, Messrs. J. Cruz, M. Prarras, D. Lopes, F. Gill, M. Gann, J. Almeida, Chau Chiu Ng, Choa Po Yew, J. Choa, the comprador staff, the Portuguese staff and the Chinese staff of the Netherlands India Commercial Bank and many others.

There were no wreaths by request.

symptoms have occurred, the animal dies shortly afterwards.

With human beings death usually occurs within four days, though some of course have been known to die sooner, and others later.

The Coroner: Have you any knowledge of a record of a human being, after having shown symptoms, having been saved by inoculations?—No, there is no case on record. It is fat; once the symptoms have shown.

Witness said that complete immunity from the inoculations could not take place until after fifteen days, and if the symptoms developed during that period, it would be hopeless for the patient.

The prepared virus lasted on an average for six months, and must during this time, always be kept in an ice box. Doses issued were all the same, and were given in vials of four doses. There was continued witness, a great variation in the quantity of the doses in different paces, but the tendency nowadays was towards a higher dose, although this was not universally accepted.

He personally, in Hong Kong used the "happy medium," but he had doubled the dose to that used in 1932. The inoculation of human being and animals were purely prophylactic.

Speaking of the mortality rate from a purely statistical point of view it had been greatly reduced as a result of the adoption of this method throughout the world.

DIED OF RABIES

Kowloon Hospital, said that the Dr. Uttley, Medical Officer at the deceased was admitted to the hospital on July 20. The following morning he saw the deceased, who complained of a pain and numbness in his right arm, which was also generalised over his whole body. He was pale in the face, but he (witness) could not find anything very definite about the patient, so far as the question of hydrophobia was concerned. Deceased also informed the witness that he had had a course of inoculations.

Later the same day he developed the symptoms of rabies, and died just after midnight. In answer to the Coroner, witness said "I am quite definite the man died of rabies."

Cheung Yau, (the deceased) was given, said the witness a course of fourteen injections commencing from June 17, and ending July 2. Wu Tai was also given a similar course terminating on the same day, but was given a repeated course.

This was taken as a precautionary measure because of the death of Cheung Yau, but it had no effect, for she finished her course on a Tuesday and was admitted into the hospital again on Friday, when she developed the symptoms and died.

After evidence was taken from Ho Chak, Kun, a dresser at the Kowloon Hospital who stated that he had been employed at the Medical Department, for the past eight years, the case was adjourned for hearing on next Tuesday at 2.30 p.m.

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

Orders By Lt.-Col. H. B. L. Dowdington, O.B.E. Commandant, Hong Kong V.D.C.

PARADE

Corps 1st Battery D.R.F. Class—This will be held at Belcher's Fort on Thursday, 22nd instant at 5.45 p.m.

Layers Class—This Class will not meet again before the start of the Training Season.

Training Season—This will start at Belcher's Fort on Thursday, September 12 at 6 p.m.

Parades will be held at Volunteer Headquarters on the first third and fourth Thursdays throughout the Season at 5.30 p.m. and on second Thursdays at Belcher's Fort, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Monday, August 19, 1935.—Miniature Range—5.30 p.m.

Thursday, August 22, 1935.—A.A.S./L. Training—Whitfield Barracks—5.45 p.m.

Notice.—R. E. Old Comrades Association Dinner—October 12, 1935. Members proposing to attend should notify Chairman Dinner Committee as soon as possible.

Particulars from C.S.M. Corps Engineers.

Parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on:—Tuesday, 20.8.35—for Signal Instruction.

Thursday, 22.8.35—for Arms Drill, Corps Machine Gun Battalion Troop.—All ranks are reminded of the following dates:—

October 5, 1935—Gymkhana.

November 3, 1935—Rifle and M.G. Courses at Stonecutters.

Practice parade for Gymkhana event will commence on Tuesday, August 27, 1935. All ranks must make a special effort to attend regularly in order to ensure team events being a success.

Armoured Car Section Parade on Monday, August 19, 1935 at 5.30 p.m. sharp.

Dress:—R.T.C. Caps, Jackets, Clacks, Boots and Belts. A photograph of the Section will be taken at this parade.

Motor Machine Gun Section Section will parade on Tuesday, August 20, 1935 at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m.

Subject:—Driving Practice.

M.G.B., Signals Section Sunday, August 18, 1935.—The Section will participate in Signal exercises in the hills overlooking Repulse Bay and Deep Water Bay. The Motor Cycle Company will co-operate. It is hoped that all members will make an effort to turn out.

Parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 9 a.m.

Uniform:—Shirts, Puttees, Shirt Sleeves, Webbing Belt, Sun Helmet and Armband.

Monday, August 19, 1935.—W/T. Section will parade for instruction.

Wednesday, August 21, 1935.—All ranks will parade for Signal and Map Reading instruction.

Friday, August 23, 1935.—Flag Drill as arranged.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company Parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday, August 19 at 5.30 p.m. Dress: Muff, Belt and Frog, Bayonet, Rifle and Sling.

Corps Infantry Winter Training Season.—The Company's Winter Training Season commences on Tuesday, September 3 at 5.30 p.m. at Volunteer Headquarters. All members of the Company are requested to make a special effort to attend on this date so that details of de-organization and training can be arranged.

All deficiencies of kit and clothing should be attended to prior to the commencement of the Training Season.

PROMOTION No. 1180, Pte. C. G. Silva, No. 10 Platoon, Corps Infantry, to be Corporal as from August 15, 1935.

TRANSFER No. 1180, Cpl. C. G. Silva to be transferred to Company Headquarters, Corps Infantry, as Company Stores Clerk as from August 15, 1935.

RANGE TAKING CLASS The Class composed of Troop, Armoured Car Section and Motor Machine Gun Section will parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. on Tuesday, August 20, 1935.

MINIATURE RANGE ALLOTMENT Tuesday, August 20, 1935. Corps Infantry (Recruits).

RETURN FROM LEAVE No. 2214, Pte. M.S. Cumming, No. 2 (Scottish) Company, returned from leave on August 7, 1935.

LEAVE 2nd Lieut. G. C. Moutrie, O. C. Armoured Car Section, granted 12 months leave as from 24.8.35 to 23.8.36.

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HISTORY OF COMPANY The "history" of the Indo-China S.N. Co., Ltd., can be traced back to the early days of the last century through some of the original Bills of Lading which hang in the saloon of the "Taksang". Messrs. Magniac & Co., mentioned in the earliest of these documents, were succeeded in 1832 by Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., who took over their business and fleet which latter became known in 1881 as the Indo-China S.N. Co., Ltd. The "Jamesina" and "Colonel Young" referred to in these Bills of Lading were amongst the earliest of the Opium Clippers and with other famous ships such as the "Red Rover", "Falcon" and "Fairy" carried the house flag of Indo-China to many ports along the China Coast.

These craft were superseded by the stately Tei Clippers of a later generation, giving way in turn to the first steamers seen in these waters which were the forerunners of this latest addition to the Indo-China Fleet. The "Taksang" bears the name of a famous predecessor.

months leave as from 31.3.35 to 31.3.36.

STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH Dismissed by Efficiency Board: No. 1328, Pte. C. C. Francis, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, as from 20.5.35.

Left the Colony No. 1978, Pte. C. W. Balman, M.M.G. Section, as from 20.3.35.

No. 1612, Pte. J. J. Lima, No. 12 Platoon, Corps Infantry, as from 22.1.35.

No. 1872, Pte. J. M. Kelleher, Reserve Company, as from 16.8.35.

STRENGTH No. 2372, Pte. W. C. G. Gilmore, Douglas S.A. Co., M.G. Battalion No. 1 (M.G.) Coy., 12.8.35.

(Sd.) P. S. M. WILKINSON, Captain.

Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

NOTICE Serjeants' Mess The Commandant has approved of the present style of White Mess Jacket being replaced by a White Shell Jacket with shoulder straps, Badges of Rank on the Sleeve and Corps Badges on the Lapels. White Waistcoat (4 Corps buttons).

Winged Collar and Black Bow Tie. This style of Mess Kit will be taken into use at all Mess and

Corps evening functions. The old style of White Mess Jacket will be replaced by the new as necessary.

LOCAL RESIDENT INJURED

Knocked Down By Tramcar

A nasty accident befell Mr. John Robertson, of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company on Thursday when he was knocked down by a tramcar at the junction of Paddar Street and Des Voeux Road Central, receiving a nasty cut on the back of his head.

The accident occurred at about 7 p.m., Mr. Robertson being in the company of Mr. E. S. C. Brooks, Mr. Justice Lindsell and another European gentleman. The party were about to cross the road near the traffic beacon, but stopped to let a tramcar get past. Mr. Robertson then attempted to cross the road, but was not aware of the approach of another tramcar from the opposite direction. He tried to retrace his steps, but was knocked down, and fell between the two cars. Both trams were proceeding slowly at the time, and stopped immediately.

Mr. Robertson was helped into a taxi, and taken to the Colonial Dispensary, where he was attended by Dr. Ho.

LOCAL ESTATE

Local estate amounting to \$75,000 was left by Wong Sai-hong, alias Wong Hong-yuek, alias Wong Hong Yuen-tong, alias Wong Mo-hon, late of 122 Kung Yat Road West, Canton, who died at the above address on December 21, 1934. A petition by Wong So-shi, widow, for grant of letters of administration to the estate, has been allowed.

Other Property Lam Shu-ming, alias Lam Yap-yue, alias Lam Heung, merchant, who died at 38 Pottinger Street, ground floor on December 16, 1934, left local estate to the value of \$12,600.

Letters of administration to the estate have been granted to Lam Mak-shi, widow, on her petition.

SUICIDE

According to a police report, a case of suspected suicide by drowning was disclosed yesterday.

The engineer Wong T. abroad the ferry launch Man Shun, has reported to the police that while the vessel was halfway across the harbour on a journey from Hungnam to Hong Kong, he heard shouts and was informed by a passenger that another passenger, Chinese female had jumped into the harbour from the third class deck.

With the assistance of No. 6 Police launch, a search was made in the vicinity, but no trace could be found.

POLICEMEN INJURED BY PRISONERS

Sudden Attack On Officers

Shanghai, Aug. 13. Two Russians are now in custody of the French Police for having assaulted several officers of the French Police after being arrested on the charge of trying to sell worthless banknotes.

Information was received by the French Police last Saturday that one of the Russians, Constantin Denisoff, had proceeded to a foreigner's residence off Rue Lafayette under the pretext of selling banknotes with a face value of \$600, for only \$200. Detectives were sent there and Denisoff, together with another man named Lakoukine, who stood near the door, were arrested.

Questioned where they had got the notes, Denisoff suddenly jumped on Insp. Guhier of the French Police who conducted the investigation trying to strangle him. Other policemen rescued the officer. Det. Loukinsky questioned the prisoner Lakoukine. He was "kicked violently" by Lakoukine in the stomach, fell down and had to be sent to hospital. A Chinese Officer No. 31, who went to the rescue of Det. Loukinsky, was bitten by Lakoukine who also hit the officer on the right arm. The Chinese officer was so injured that he too had to be sent to hospital.

The two Russians were charged in the Second Special District Court yesterday and the hearing was adjourned till Friday.

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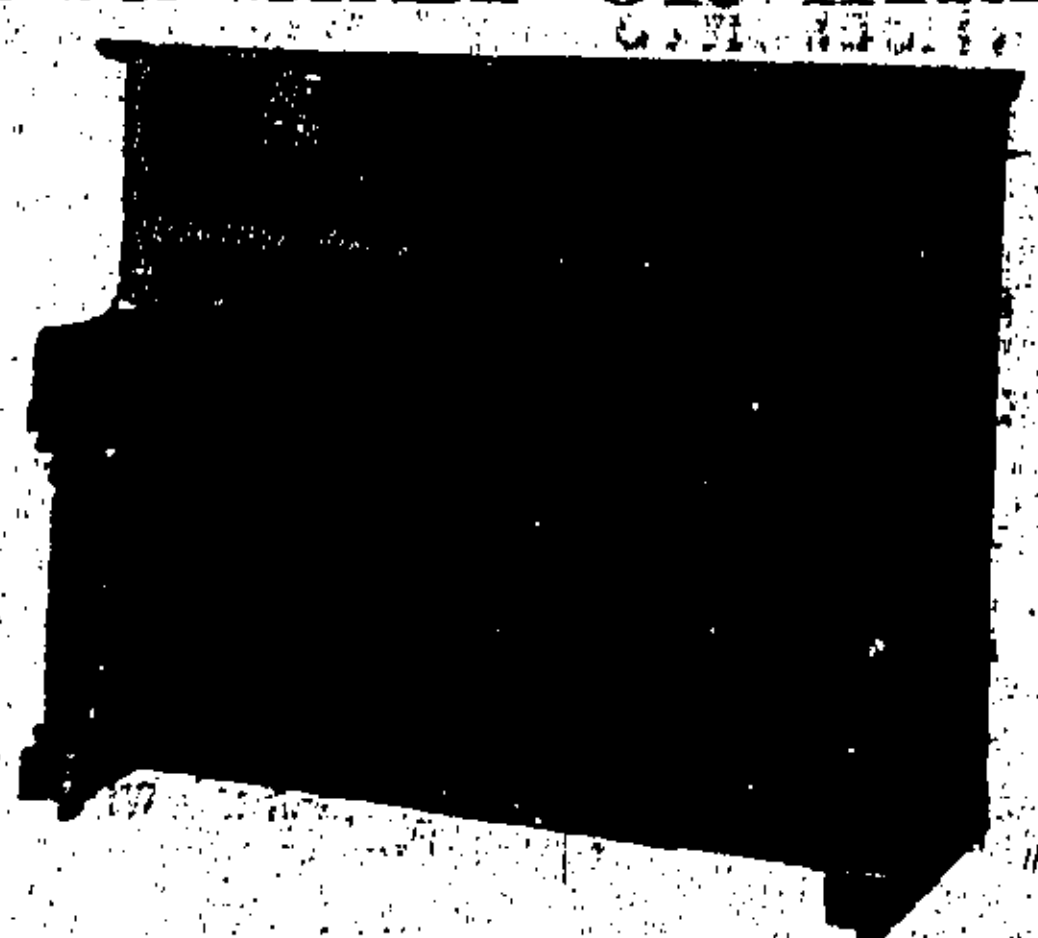
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has, by virtue of Section 88 of The Probates Ordinance 1897 (No. 2 of 1897), made an order limiting the time for sending in claims to or against the above estate to the 6th day of SEPTEMBER, 1935.

Creditors and claimants are hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned by the above date.

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JEWS ATTACKED

By Julius Streicher

Berlin, Aug. 15.
A huge Nazi meeting in support of the anti-Jewish campaign was held in the sports palace and was addressed by the chief Jew bather, Julius Streicher, to-night.

The radical anti-Semite began his speech with a violent attack on the Jews, declaring their father was the Devil himself.

He then turned his attention to the foreign press, saying: "I know no lower profession than the making of business out of lies. What concern is it of yours if we clean up our own house?"

The Jews had been warned by their leaders to keep indoors during the evening. All their usual cafes and restaurants were deserted, although several of them carried notices announcing concealed gardens in the backyard.

Nothing untoward occurred during the early proceedings.

Streicher spoke for two and a half hours. He violently attacked Catholic priests as well as Jews. Perspiration streamed down his face, and many of the audience, including several Storm Troopers, fainted in the crush.

No serious disorders are reported in the city.

Reuter

THE FINAL TEST

London, Aug. 15.

It is announced that the Surrey captain, E. R. T. Holmes, has been invited to replace C. F. Walters in England's Test team which is to meet the South African cricketers in the fifth and final match at the Oval to-morrow.

Reuter

national military and naval aircraft by international agreement? A most innocent sounding question, but one which is really of the order of "Have you stopped beating your wife?" For a negative answer suggests deliberate indifference to the horrors of bombing, while an affirmative answer side-tracks all the insuperable complications attending the control of civil aviation. No well-informed person could honestly reply Yes or No to this question, however profound his desire to assist peace or to mitigate the terrors of war. Ninety nine out of a hundred people would in all good faith answer yes without the remotest inkling of the implied consequences.

The question about economic and military "sanctions" against the aggressor was another highly equivocal one. A large number of people voted in favour of economic, but against military sanctions was noted by use and that alone proves that they had not the least idea what they were voting about. For it is as certain as anything can be that economic sanctions would automatically lead to war, and this is the obvious reason why the League of Nations has never yet dared to apply them. But no matter. It served the turn of the promoters if they could hold up to the nation as a war-monger anyone who disagreed with their particular policy. The whole thing is an imposition upon the people and an insult to democratic institutions.

Happily, there is no occasion to attach much domestic importance to the result. The impression which is likely to be created abroad is far more serious. Foreign observers may be pardoned if they conclude that Britain has suddenly gone "soft" and that the result of the ballot is but one more manifestation of the same spirit which has led us to make quixotic experiments in unilateral disarmament since the War. As for all round security, where in the world to-day is the faintest evidence of the one or the other? Fifty six nations out of sixty-four have signed the Kellogg Pact renouncing war as an instrument of policy. Can any realistic person who believes that war is one bit more remote than before the Kellogg Pact was dreamt of?

Several nations have already violated their signature, and with impunity. It is time to realise that all these peace pacts and peace ballots are so much piling up of worthless paper. There is no collective security because there is no collective will to peace, and anyone who imagines that this collective will can be conjured up by pious incantations in Britain is not merely deluding himself and others but actively encouraging aggression.

PEACE BALLOT
FLUMMERY

THE POLICE REPORTS

Many Accidents Yesterday

A chapter of accidents are contained in the reports to Police Headquarters yesterday evening.

The first one concerns injuries received by a Chinese lad, who is reported to have been hit by a motor car driven by Dr. Farr of the Government Civil Hospital. The latter states that while driving along Second Street yesterday, a Chinese lad dashed across the road and ran into his car and sustained injuries to his head and leg. Dr. Farr at once removed the injured lad to the Government Civil Hospital where he was detained. The injured lad is stated to be residing at No. 62 Second Street, and is 9 years of age.

FALL FROM TRAM
Whilst a tram was proceeding in a westerly direction, and passing the Supreme Court, a Chinese named Chan Tin Po (22) of Lockhart Road, fell from the vehicle, sustaining injuries to his head. The accident is reported to have taken place at 7.30 p.m. The injured man was immediately rushed to the Government Civil Hospital, where his condition is stated to be serious. It is thought that the unfortunate man is suffering from a fractured skull.

SMASH INTO BUS

Chui Wing See, driver of China Motor Bus No. 306 states in a report that at about 4.55 p.m. when he was travelling along Pokfulam Road towards Aberdeen, a private car No. 2205 coming from the latter place, collided with the rear of his bus, causing slight damage to the mudguard.

Luckily no one in either vehicle sustained any injury.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN

The story of how she was knocked down by a cyclist, who immediately he had ascertained that he had caused some injury, ran away leaving his cycle, is contained in a statement made to the Police by Wong Tai (60) a Chinese woman, who states that whilst proceeding along Queen's Road Central, near Aberdeen Street, she was knocked down by a cyclist, receiving injuries to her right leg and forehead.

The cyclist immediately decamped, and the woman was taken to the Government Civil Hospital, where after treatment she was allowed to go home.

MISSING FROM HOME

Ng Kip Tong (18) of No. 1 Seymour Road, is reported to be missing from his home since 12 noon on Wednesday, while in another report Mak Tai, a shop feld, residing at No. 25 Irving Street, reports that at about 7.30 p.m. last evening he left his cycle outside the Hong Kong Optical Company, where he had some business to attend to and when he came out of the shop some five minutes later, the cycle had disappeared. It was valued at \$12.

POST-GRADUATE STUDY

For German Doctors

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Aug. 15.

The details of compulsory courses for doctors have now been announced by the leader of the German Doctors Association which provide for every Aryan doctor taking a special three weeks course of instruction, once every five years.

A start will be made with the general practitioners from places with less than 100,000 inhabitants. Doctors in health resorts are exempted since the courses will be held during the months from April to November and the attendance in height of the season would cause too much hardship.

Doctors from small towns, and villages will be followed gradually by those from the large cities and specialists.

Courses will consist of lectures, demonstrations as well as bedside practice and will be held in hospitals. The general level of the medical practice will be raised, considerably, through these courses with consequent benefit to the nation's health, points out the organ of the German Doctors Association in an appeal to doctors to realise the importance of this supplementary training.

MR. GARETH JONES DEAD

Body Found Near Paochang

Peiping, August 15.

THE BODY OF MR. GARETH JONES WAS FOUND TO-DAY NEAR PAOCHANG.—REUTER.

It will be recalled that Mr. Gareth Jones, the well-known British newspaper correspondent was captured by bandits near Paochang, near Mongolia, on July 25, together with Dr. Herbert Mueller who was subsequently released in order to make the necessary arrangements for the ransom to be paid over.

Since Mr. Jones' capture, many reports had been circulated regarding his whereabouts while Chinese and Manchukuo troops helped in the efforts to track the bandits down.

London, August 16.

The long and acute suspense of Mr. Gareth Jones' parents was broken this morning when "Reuter" informed his father, Major Edgar Jones of his son's death. The father, who too overcame to speak for some time and then whispered, "oh, how terrible." He then went to break the news to his wife.

Major Jones is a Welsh educational authority and Gareth was a most brilliant linguist a subject on which he lectured at Cambridge before joining Mr. Lloyd George's staff in 1930. He was very widely travelled and a student of foreign affairs.

Reuter

ALWAYS DAUNTLESS

London, August 16.

Mr. Lloyd George was horror struck at the murder of Mr. Gareth Jones and said he was always dauntless and had a passion for finding out what was happening in foreign countries when there was any trouble.

"I was always afraid he would one day take one risk too many as he allowed no obstacle to deflect him," Mr. Lloyd George concluded.

Reuter

THREE BULLET WOUNDS

Peiping, August 16.

Gareth Jones' death has not been officially confirmed but circumstantial details leave little room for doubt of the truth of earlier messages.

Reports to hand state that on August 14, the Chahar Government messenger visited the bandits in the vicinity of Paochang to see if Jones was with them and if so to negotiate for his release. He never returned whereupon the Chinese authorities decided on military measures to round-up the bandits, using Pao An Tui's troops for the purpose.

These troops found the body of Jones a few miles from Paochang with three bullet wounds, and from local information they believe he was killed on August 12, which would appear to explain the detention of the messenger so that the news will be held up from the outside world.

Jones therefore appears to have died on the eve of his thirtieth birthday. Another report from

Kalgan states that the body has now been taken to Paochang.—Reuter.

MUELLER UPSET

Peiping, August 16.

Dr. Henry Mueller, when interviewed by "Reuter" was terribly upset at the news of Jones' death. He is leaving by to-night's train for Kalgan and to-morrow will proceed to Paochang to bring down Jones' body.

A possible explanation of the murder of Jones and the explanation of the bandits' failure to collect the ransom appears to lie in the facts now revealed, that at the time the ransom was sent up the magistrate of Paochang Hsien, who was responsible for the negotiations, at that time failed to inform the Kuyuan Hsien magistrate what was going on. The Kuyuan magistrate heard that the bandits were threatening to enter his territory whereupon he sent Pao An Tui to intercept them, this coinciding with the sudden departure of the bandits with Jones to the Jehol Border.

This act, on the part of the Kuyuan magistrate had the effect of destroying the bandits' belief in the sincerity of the negotiators.—Reuter.

BANDITS' THREAT

Peiping, Aug. 16.

Chinese reports state that Mr. Gareth Jones, the British newspaper correspondent who was captured by bandits near Paochang, Mongolia, on July 25 and is being held for ransom, has not yet been traced.

Reports that his whereabouts was known are entirely unconfirmed, the authorities state. They have been able to learn nothing more concerning him since the bandits snatched him farther into the Mongolian back-country following the misdirection of funds which were supposed to have been sufficient to set him free.

These funds should have been sent to a spot designated by the bandits, but was unaccountably sent elsewhere.

Dr. Herbert Mueller, who was captured with Mr. Jones, was later set at liberty and returned to Paochang to report that the bandits had said they would probably kill the Englishman unless the ransom were paid quickly.—Reuter.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

One case of enteric fever was reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended on Thursday.

A tea dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-morrow at 4.30 p.m. Half hourly bus service on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dodwell and Miss Diana Dodwell left yesterday for Chinwangtao on Summer holiday and will return to the Colony towards the end of September.

Mrs. Lane, of No. 5 Bungalow, St. Stephen's College, Stanley, has reported to the police, that while driving her car, No. 2048, on Thursday afternoon towards the College near the Police Station, car No. 3951 collided with her car, causing damage to the bumper and right mudguard.

Mrs. Gibbons, of 13 Kent Road, Kowloon Tong, has notified the police that a male servant, named Li Wing, employed by Mrs. Greenberg, 11 Kent Road, came along to deliver a letter and was bitten on the wrist by her dog. He received treatment at the Kowloon Hospital while the dog together with other dogs belonging to the house was removed to Matakook for observation.

His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, and Lady MacGregor, who are at present vaca-

tioning in Japan, are expected to return to the Colony on August 30 by the s.s. Empress of Japan. His Lordship and Lady MacGregor first went to Shanghai where Sir Atholl presided in an appeal case, after which they proceeded to Japan.

"AUTO UNION"

Sets A New Record

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Rome, Aug. 15.
The 11th motor race, for the Acerbo Cup which was run on Thursday near Pescara on the Adriatic coast ended in another triumph for the German motor industry, a gruelling race over 516 kilometres being won by Vardi on an Auto Union car in the record time of three hours forty-three minutes forty five seconds with an average speed of 130.4 kilometres per hour.

Rosemeyer also on an Auto Union was second, almost 31 minutes behind the winner so that only two German cars in the race ended in front followed by 4 Italians on Alfa Romeo cars. The third member of the Auto Union team, Hans Stuck, did not start owing to indisposition.—Transocean Kuo Min.

NEWS SUMMARY

It was revealed at the Kowloon Magistracy that three of the five victims of a rabid dog, have succumbed to the bites received when attacked by the animal, during an inquiry into the circumstances attending the death of a Chinese male, Cheung Yau, who died of hydrophobia. After evidence had been given by Dr. Greaves, and Dr. Utley the case was adjourned until next Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. Page 7.

The funeral of the late Mr. Frederick A. M. Barretto was held yesterday evening at the Roman Catholic Cemetery and was largely attended. The Rev. Father F. A. Rossi officiated at the last rites. Page 7.

A verdict of accidental death was recorded by the jury empanelled to enquire into the circumstances attending the death of a married Chinese woman who was drowned when she fell into a well in Tung Tau Village, Kowloon City on July 21. Special recognition for the gallant behaviour of Li Kap, a pig washer who dived into the well in an attempt to save the unfortunate woman, was also recommended by the jury. Page 6.

A very fine addition to the China Coast Guard is expected to arrive here to-day, namely the s.s. Tak Sang of the Indo-China S.N. Co. Ltd. of which Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. are the General Managers. Page 7.

Several European motorists were concerned in traffic summonses called before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Page 6.

For arriving in the Colony without a valid passport, Ahmad Khan, 24, unemployed, was cautioned by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court yesterday. Page 6.

A highly respected and popular Chinese member of the Government service passed away on Thursday in the person to Mr. Lo Kam Chak, Chief Translator in the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs. He died at his residence, 23 Mosque Street, ground floor, at the age of 50. Page 7.

Mr. John Robertson, of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, received a nasty injury to his head on Thursday when he was knocked down by a tramcar at the junction of Pedder Street and Des Voeux Road Central. Page 7.

"Unfortunately our Revenue Officers cannot be King Kongs; these big fellows take advantage of them, fight with them and run away," and they are afraid to report it," said Revenue Officer Grimmett when prosecuting Pang Ming, a seaman, before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy yesterday, with possession of 23 tials of raw opium and resisting arrest at the Tai Ping Wharf. Page 6.

COTTON LOANS

Liverpool Opinion

London, Aug. 16.

Liverpool cotton circles believe that a wide open clearance exists in the American Administration regarding the continuance of Cotton Loans. The anti-loan teams consists of secretaries Hull and Roper Wallace and the A. A. A. Administrator Chester Davis who believe that broader business and a large export trade will be the result if the industry was not hampered by loan artificialities.

For the loan line-up Senators Bankhead and Smith, with Oscar Johnston, are attempting to substantiate the promises to their constituents, but the former appear to be the more influential.

While the loan, if conceded will prove temporarily bullish, trade would regard it as a retrograde for the long run. The announcement throughout had been expected by conferees of the agreement of an A. A. amendment which occurred last night so a "shown down" appears imminent.—Reuter.

"NOT ACCEPTED"

Nanking, Aug. 16.

The Executive Yuan to-day rejected the resignation of General Huang Mo-kung, chairman of the Mongolian and Tibetan Affairs Commission, which he handed in yesterday.—Reuter.

MUSSOLINI FOR ERITREA

To Address Troops Before The Battle

AEROPLANES AS ITALY'S CHIEF WEAPON OF ATTACK

London, August 16. It is anticipated that Signor Mussolini will pay a lightning visit to Italian Somaliland and Eritrea at the end of August by aeroplane and address the troops before going into battle.

In addition to the seven Army divisions already mobilised for Colonial Service, six divisions of the faithful Black Shirts have been called to colours, most of them being between the ages of 35 and 65 years, among whom are many business men, but of whom have had military training. They are, theoretically speaking, volunteers, and are leaving their wives and families resignedly with a sense of responsibility for Italy's future. As a contrast to this, the regulars, aged between 21 and 24 years, are inspired by the feeling of military adventure and strut the streets with a girl on each arm, singing Fascist songs.

At present the flappers are making a paradise for the young men who are daily arriving in town and want a good time, mostly to have money. The former picturesque uniforms have been replaced by the more business-like khaki. Mussolini not wanting the young troops to be the puppets for admiration by the ladies, but a practical fighting machine.

SPECIAL TRAINING

Altogether two hundred thousand have been called up since January for service in East Africa but more are expected to follow. Since Mussolini became War Minister in 1925, the Italian Army has been intensively reorganised and enlarged and now stand at a million strong. Thirteen Army Corps have been specially trained for rapid movement over mountainous country in Abyssinia and in defence of the Italian frontiers and are equipped with new arms of all categories, including small tanks, trench mortars and machine guns.

FAITH IN PLANES

Mussolini's right hand men in the Abyssinian enterprise are all well-trained Fascists and include General Debono, the High Commissioner of East Africa and one of the famous executives of four in the march to Rome in 1922, and General Rodolfo Graziani, Italy's finest soldier.

Mussolini counts greatly on aeroplanes of which nearly one thousand are expected to swoop down on Abyssinia, spreading destruction and terror. The Institute of Tropical Diseases, under the direction of Sir Aldo Castellani, the Harley Street tropical specialist, and Sir Miles Lampson's father-in-law, are designing a new type of topee. Twenty assistants stand in the sun with thermometers, under the hats, to check the efficiency of the different designs.

HOPEFUL SIGN
(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")
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Paris, Aug. 16. Preparatory discussions intended to pave the way for the Three Power Conference which is opening on Friday morning concluded with a meeting between Mr. Eden and Baron Aloisi on Thursday evening and lasted for 45 minutes. The meeting of these two statesmen, according to "Le Matin," had been suggested by M. Laval who said to have advised Baron Aloisi to speak frankly with the British delegate. During the conference the Italian statesman explained Italy's viewpoint in detail while the British minister is said to have revealed the nature of the economic concessions to Italy which was proposed by London.

Baron Aloisi, however, the paper asserts, again stressed that Italy could not accept the economic concessions unless placed in a position to "exact respect" from the Abyssinians by the maintenance of armed forces in Abyssinia which could protect the Italian possession in East Africa against the invasion of rebellious Abyssinian tribes. The Italian delegate, the paper declares, pointed out that war could easily be avoided by "military occupation without bloodshed."

"Le Jour" likewise asserts that the British and Italian delegates both maintained their respective viewpoints, but sees a hopeful sign in the mere fact of Baron Aloisi's call on Mr. Eden which, the paper opines, indicates that the Italian Government is trying to find a compromise formula for the reconciliation of the conflicting British-Italian viewpoints.

FRENCH SEEKING FORMULA

Paris, Aug. 16. It is indicated in French circles that now that the British and Italian viewpoints are known, the French Government is seeking a formula which may form a practical basis for discussions at the tripartite conference here on the Italo-Abyssinian dispute.

It is believed, however, that owing to the complexity of the problem no such formula can be submitted to the conference as early as to-morrow, the first day of meeting.

M. Pierre Laval, the French Prime Minister, had an hour's conversation with M. Politis, the Greek Minister to Paris, who has been designated as the fifth member of the Conciliation Commission hearing the Italo-Abyssinian dispute.

M. Laval will meet Mr. Anthony Eden, the British chief delegate to the three-power conversations, later in the day.

BRITAIN ATTACKED

Rome, Aug. 15. Press attacks upon Great Britain are breaking out again.

Newspapers are suggesting that Britain may try to impose League sanctions against Italy.

Italian quarters are slightly apprehensive lest the League Council might favour the closing of the Suez Canal to ships of war, which is regarded as the only sanction which could possibly injure Italy.

ONE MILLION STRONG

Rome, Aug. 15. It is officially stated that Italy now has 1,000,000 men under arms.

The Government is calling up the remainder of the 1911, 1913 and 1914 classes, which means 150,000 more men for the Duce's armies.

NEGUS ENTERTAINS

Addis Ababa, Aug. 15. Foreign Press correspondents were invited to tea by the Emperor in the new Imperial Palace this afternoon. In welcoming his guests, Negus said that he was delighted to see so many foreign journalists assembled in his capital although he regretted the unfortunate circumstances which had brought them there.

The Emperor then appealed to the press representatives to co-operate in maintaining peace, adding that he on his part was doing everything in his power to this end.

Transocean Kuo Min.

"REFRESHER CLASSES"

London, Aug. 15. The London County Council is again arranging an extensive programme of lectures and "refresher classes" to enable teachers in the Council's schools to keep abreast with educational developments and when their outlook on literary and humanistic subjects which make the background for their teaching.

During the autumn months a number of distinguished speakers will deliver lectures, including Sir William Rothenstein, Mr. Eric Gill and Mr. Richard Sicker, Mr. F. S. Smythe, leader of the British Himalayan expedition in 1931 and a member of the Everest Expedition in 1933, Lord Passfield, and Sir E. Denison Ross. The Secretary for India, Lord Zetland, will give an address on "India and the New Constitution" with the Chair.

ALASKA AIR CRASH

Will Rogers Killed

WILEY POST ALSO SUCCUMBS

Seattle, August 16. The airman Wiley Post and the world-famous comedian Will Rogers, were killed in an air crash in Alaska to-day.

A "Reuter" message from Seattle dated August 7, was to the effect that "Wiley Post left here this afternoon for Alaska on the second stage of his flight over 'The Top of the World'."

The airman is accompanied by Will Rogers, the screen star comedian, but his wife, who had flown with him from San Francisco, decided at the last minute not to fly further, saying the trip might be too strenuous.

It is believed that Wiley Post's present destination is Juneau in Alaska. He will attempt to fly from there direct to Moscow over the North Pole.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent) London, August 16.

London silver prices to-day were unchanged for "Spot" and up 1/16 Forward as follows:—

	Aug. 15	Aug. 16
Spot	29	29
Forward	28-15/16	29

London on New York cross rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.9768 as compared with 4.9812 at closing yesterday.

TRAIN HOLD-UP

Guard Killed: Many Wounded

Tientsin, Aug. 16. A daring hold-up occurred shortly after 11 p.m. yesterday when seventy bandits, who boarded the Mukden-Peiping through express in Shanghai-Kuan, robbed the many passengers travelling on the train.

A section of the bandits first went into the dining car and after demanding the takings from the conductor shot dead this official who resisted. The gang then made their way into the third class car, next to the engine, and proceeded to rob the passengers.

A fierce fight ensued during which the train guard and a Japanese passenger was killed and many people wounded. Immediately on arrival at Chinwangtao a search for the bandits was instituted but only a few suspects were arrested, the train being delayed for two hours.

KOREANS ROBBED

Peiping, Aug. 16. The bandits who looted the Peiping-Mukden train singled the Koreans many of whom go to China from the three eastern provinces daily with bundles of Chinese banknotes, seeking to exchange them for silver.

Several of such Koreans were boarded the train and it is reported the bandits made a clean sweep of the notes they were carrying.

Later the Koreans are alleged to have caused considerable trouble on the train and a free-for-all ensued in which a number persons were injured.

On arrival of the train here, it was boarded by Japanese Gendarmes who arrested six Korean passengers who were taken to the Embassy for examination.

STATEMENT ISSUED

Tientsin, Aug. 16. A statement issued by the railway authorities states that the hold-up occurred at Shaho-te, west of the Shin River. The bandits apparently boarded the train at Shanhaikuan and during the trip to Chinwangtao four appeared in the engine, forcing the driver to stop.

The ticket inspector, the guard and a Korean passenger were killed during the shooting and about twenty passengers were wounded.

man of the L.C.C., Lord Snell, presiding.

The European situation will be discussed in a series of lectures by the historian, Dr. G. F. Grooch.

ENTIRELY ACCIDENTAL CRISIS

Silver Situation Reviewed AMERICA NOT FORCED TO BUY

London, August 16. The silver scare is now quietening down and the City therefore does not expect America to be forced to continue to make heavy purchases on the Foreign Exchange. The usual seasonal demand for U. S. Dollars which hitherto only checked the depreciation of the dollar will now probably make itself more apparent by causing a slight decline in sterling.

Well-informed people, therefore, will not be surprised to see British Control resume its seasonal role by supporting sterling, unless a new gold block scare develops. There is no doubt the Control has increased its gold holdings enormously, some even suggesting that the seventy million sterling excess in gold imports over exports during the current year has gone, to swell the Control's resources. Furthermore the Control is believed to have a large amount earmarked with the Bank of France so that in the event of any seasonal pressure against the sterling the movement may be easily controlled.—Reuter.

ENTIRELY ACCIDENTAL

London, Aug. 16. The "Financial News" say that there is every reason to believe that the present silver "crisis" is entirely accidental, due to America lowering the buying price by one-sixteenth on Monday, following the depreciation of the dollar.

While it is obvious that the American authorities do not mind benefiting by the effect of excessive supplies upon the price, it is incorrect to suggest that they have deliberately engineered the present position in order to buy cheap silver at the expense of speculators.

America had to choose between unsettling the silver market and unsettling foreign exchanges. The "Financial News" is of the opinion that the Chinese market is not so well placed as Europe to withstand shocks, but from the point of view of American politics, buying silver on a large scale will be more popular and will please the silver group which is becoming restive, while exporters would welcome the depreciation of the dollar in terms of sterling.—Reuter.

"FANTASTIC SITUATION"

London, Aug. 16. The "New York Times" in a leading article referring to the "fantastic situation" in respect to the silver situation declares that "silver congresses" are only incidentally interested on how much metal the Government buys, "the real object of the group is silver at \$1.29 per ounce for no doubt such a price would greatly benefit the silver mining industry."

The article goes on to point out that the value of the United States silver output is less than the value of the peanut crop or the output of chewing gum or linoleum and "that the future of our currency should be deeply involved in the effort to benefit by the present means is so small to the industry that it would be unbelievable if it were not actually happening."

COMMITTEE FORMED?

Washington, Aug. 15. Senator Key Pittman has introduced a resolution in the Senate authorising the appointment of a special committee of five to confer with Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury, to study the effect of America's silver buying policy in the United States and abroad.

Senate approval of the resolution is expected.—Reuter.

COLOSSAL FARCE

Washington, Aug. 15. Denouncing the Silver Purchase Programme as a "farce," Senator Thomas contended that the law, rather than the administration, was at fault.

U.S. AND THE PANAMA

New Treaty Almost Concluded

New York, Aug. 14.

The new treaty between the United States and Panama recognising the full sovereignty of the Panama has virtually been concluded, states the Washington correspondent of the "New York Times."

The United States no longer guarantees the Republic's independence or hold the right of intervention in order to preserve the peace of Panama City or in the

He announced a drive to amend the Silver Purchase Act with a view to "bringing the silver market to America."

Senator Thomas asserted that the Government was trying to buy silver as cheaply as possible instead of pushing the price with the ultimate objective of its monetisation.

"We thought we had a silver policy, but we haven't other than to buy as cheaply as possible. In that case we made a terrible mistake by enacting the programme because we could have bought silver at 25 or 30 cents an ounce."

"Unless the Government plans to make silver into real primary money, the whole programme is a colossal farce, and as soon as the next Administration comes into power the whole thing will be scuttled."

"We have built up false hopes in the minds of the silver states which are doomed to suffer a tremendous loss when the Administration changes," he declared.

Meanwhile the silver market continued on a downward trend despite Mr. Henry Morgenthau's statement that the Treasury was still buying, which is indicative that the Treasury continues to adhere to its policy to buy as cheaply as possible, and avoid bidding up the market, and will accumulate on a scaling down basis in the face of pressure of liquidation.—Reuter.

SCATHING COMMENT

Washington, Aug. 15. Following a conference with Mr. Morgenthau on the United States silver policy, Senator Elmer Thomas stated:

"Unless the Government buys sufficient silver in a way that will make the silver dollar actually worth a dollar, the programme is as well as abandoned. Otherwise the Government will be left holding a lot of silver and the only ones who will benefit will be the foreign speculators."

Immediately after Senator Thomas issued this statement, Mr. Morgenthau announced that the Government was still buying silver.—Reuter.

BUYING IN LONDON

Washington, Aug. 15. Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the United States Treasury, and the man behind the Silver Purchase Programme, to-day announced that the Treasury was again buying silver in the London market, which was more quiet than yesterday when heavy United States intervention was necessary.

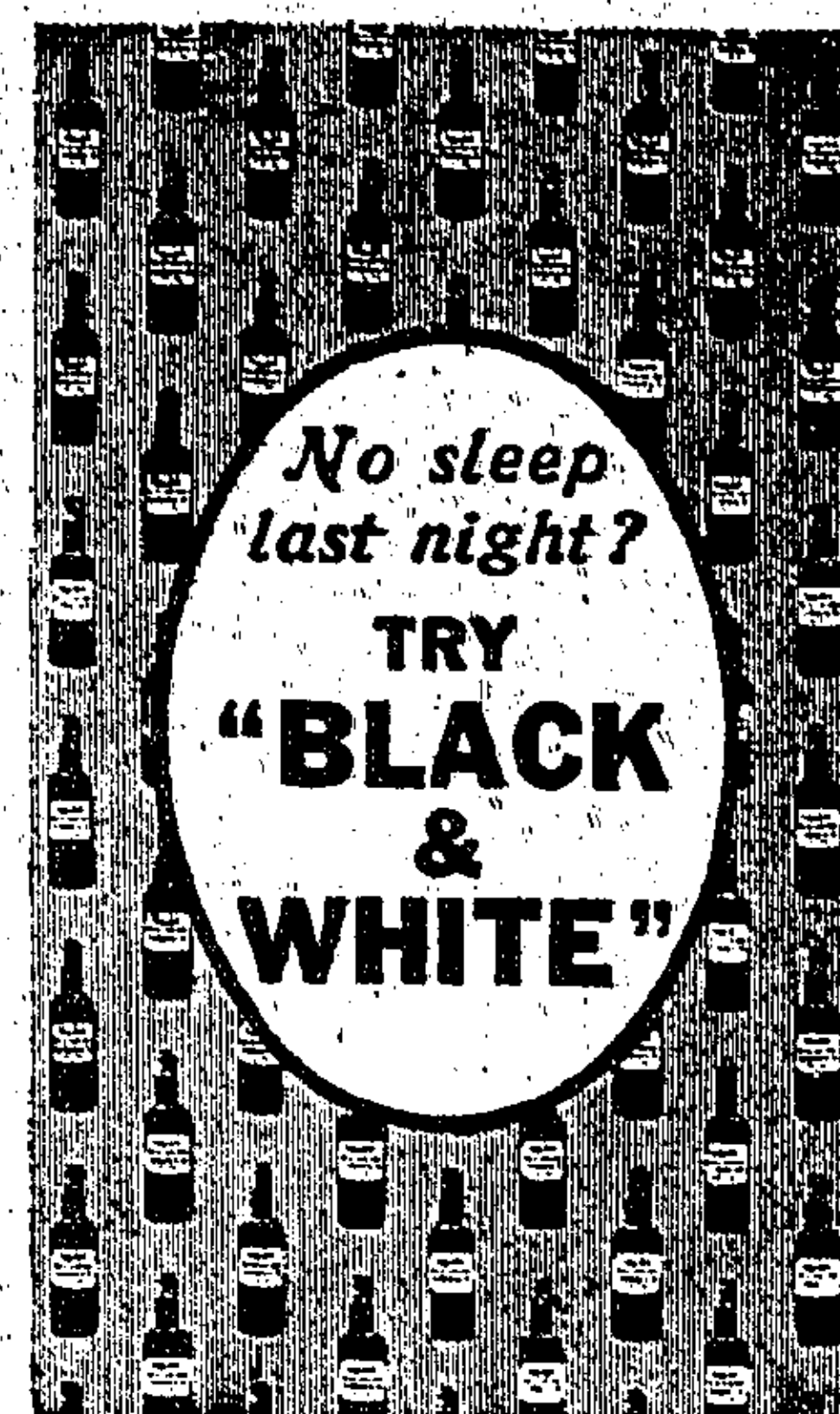
Meanwhile the Canadian Commodity Exchange has amended its silver trading rules by increasing the price fluctuation limitation from three cents to five cents, as from September 3.

FUTURE ISSUES BANNED

Washington, Aug. 15. The Senate has passed the Roosevelt Tax Bill by 57 votes to 22, with an amendment prohibiting future issues of Federal tax-exempt securities.

The differences with the House of Representatives must now be adjusted in conference.—Reuter.

event of the measures of the Panama authorities proving inadequate, the Treaty is also said to include the provision of re-adjustment of payments to Panama and an annual rental of a quarter of a million dollars for the Canal on the basis of the 1904 gold standard.—Reuter.



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THREE POWER TALKS OPEN IN PARIS

Impression Not Unfavourable

Paris, August 16. The momentous Three Power Conference began promptly at 10.30 a.m. Mr. Anthony Eden and Baron Aloisi arrived almost simultaneously and were ushered into M. Laval's private room in the Quai D'Orsay while their collaborators remained in the ante-chamber.

According to the procedure agreed upon yesterday, the conference began with a tete-a-tete discussion of the three chief delegates after which fuller meetings will be held in the Salon Dela Rotunda, and finally a full dress meeting will be held in the famous clockroom where the Briand-Kellog pact was signed. Meanwhile the Italian members of the Italo-Abyssinian commission who are to resume the enquiries into the Ussual incident have arrived from Rome.—Reuter.

NOT UNFAVOURABLE

Paris, Aug. 16. "The Impression is not entirely unfavourable" was the only comment obtainable from an authoritative source at the end of the morning's talk at the Tripartite Conference.

The conversations will continue this afternoon and the visiting delegations had lunch with M. Laval.—Reuter.

ROBBER BANDIT SURRENDERS

Returns To Prison After Escape

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, August 16, 7.30 p.m.)

Bucharest, August 16. The notorious robber bandit leader George Coroin, who was reported by the "Transocean" to have escaped from the prison of Botosani, three days ago and eluded all efforts by the authorities to re-capture him, suddenly appeared last night at the home of his defending lawyer, Manastirea, when after a talk lasting two hours, Coroin yielded to his counsel's persuasion to give up himself to the State Prosecutor.

Coroin was conveyed to the prison at dawn to-day, under a powerful guard. The bandit explains that while the police was scouring the whole country, he had remained in hiding at Botosani, almost beneath the prison walls, where he has numerous friends amongst the peasantry.—Transocean Kuo Min.

HOME CRICKET RESULTS

London, Aug. 16. Essex beat the South Africans by 7 wickets: South Africans 250 (Dalton 117, Stephenson 7 for 66) and 223. Essex 302 and 372 for 2. Lancashire beat Sussex by an innings and 100 runs. Sussex, 245 (Stibbles 5 for 66) and 134 (Pollard 5 for 51). Lancs 484 for 5 dec. (Tydesley 157, Paynter 113).

THE WIRELESS INDUSTRY

Position In Germany To-day

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, August 16, 7.30 p.m.)

Berlin, August 16. That the German wireless industry had decided to make a million of the new type of peoples' receiving sets, was announced by Herr Goebbels in a speech at the opening of this year's great German Radio Exhibition here.

Propaganda, and the growing significance of wireless in the daily life of the nation, was recalled by the Minister who said that at the end of 1932, before the advent of the National Socialist regime, Germany possessed only 4,300,000 receiving sets, and by the end of 1933, the first year of the present regime, over 5,000,000 sets were in use, while at the end of last year there were 6,100,000, and now, up till May 1, of this year, there were 6,700,000, or an increase of more than 50 per cent in two and a half years.

Moreover the appearance of the peoples' receiving sets had not decreased the sale of the more expensive sets bought by the people of higher incomes. In the year 1932, before the peoples' receiving sets were on the market, the wireless industry produced altogether 97,000 receivers. In 1934, when the production of the peoples' sets reached 817,000, the number of more expensive sets totalled 1,700,000.

TELEVISION

As for the problem of television, the Minister focused attention on the "television street," where all the technical triumphs of the industry were displayed, working at top speed. Goebbels hinted that further fundamental German inventions of an epoch making character have already been perfected in the laboratory and now is being adapted for production on an industrial scale, which would perhaps surprise the world before the next wireless exhibition arrives.

The speaker forecasts that German television in the near future will experience fabulous impetus.

Transocean Kuo Min.

MORE PROGRESS MADE Hong Kong Rifle Association

That further stimulus has been accorded the Hong Kong Rifle Association, is contained in a report of the Hon. Secretary, Major D. H. Steers, O.B.E., R.E., who stated at a meeting of the Council of this body, held in the Board Room of the "S. C. M. Post" yesterday afternoon, that he had received a letter from H. E. Excellency the Commander-in-Chief China Station accepting the appointment (ex-officio) as Vice-President of the Association. The latter further wished the Association every success.

The President, Lt. Col. H. L. Murrow D.S.O. was in the chair. As regards ranges from which to fire, the Hon. Secretary reported that thanks to the kindness of the Naval authorities, he was able to say that the Association would be able to shoot on the Rifle Range at Stonecutters on Saturdays and/or Sundays while the Army authorities had made available the Army range at Kowloon City on Wednesdays from 1 p.m. onwards. It was also hoped to arrange special transport for those members who would be shooting at Stonecutters during the weekend.

GOLD BADGE
The question of a suitable badge to be worn on the breast pocket of a plain blue blazer by members of the Association was then considered. Several designs were placed before the meeting, one of which was finally approved. This badge which will be obtainable locally, will be worn in gold by those members of the Association who represent the Colony in the Interport Shoot, or the Inter-Colonial events at Bisley and elsewhere, while it will be worn in silver by those who have not so represented the Colony.

As regards ammunition, the Hon. Secretary reported that he had ascertained that the existing army regulations were enforced whereby it was possible for the Association to obtain the necessary ammunition at specially reduced rates. A letter was then read from the Hon. Secretary of the Puckard Rifle Club expressing appreciation of the way in which the Council had met the wishes of that Club, and stating that it had been decided to apply for affiliation to the Association. The affiliation of the Royal Engineers' Rifle Club was also approved by the Council as were certain additional applications for full membership.

It was unanimously decided that an offer received from a local firm of publishers for the publication of the Association's year book, score-book and programme of the forthcoming local Bisley meeting, should be accepted so that these books should be available by the end of October or the beginning of November.

RESULTS ANALYSED

The Hon. Secretary stated that he had carefully analysed the results of the 1914 rifle at the Na-

U. S. BASEBALL Leading Teams Win

New York, Aug. 15.
Both leading teams in the Baseball leagues in America, the New York Giants and the Detroit Tigers, won their matches to-day, as also did the Yankees.

The Giants were pitted against their nearest rivals, the St. Louis Cardinals, and they won by the narrowest of margins.
The Detroit Tigers, leaders of the American League, outplayed the Senators and scored six runs to their opponents' three while the New York Yankees won by 3-1 against the Cleveland Indians.

There were some easy victories in the National League in which the Braves beat the Reds by 8-0, the Phillies won from the Pirates by 9-1 and the Cubs trounced the Dodgers by 11-3.

Results of to-day's matches follow:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
	R.	H. E.
Cincinnati	0	2 0
Boston	8	13 0
(Bobby Brown blanked out the Reds and Urbanski and Berger scored home runs for the Braves).		
Chicago	11	16 0
Brooklyn	3	11 2
(Stainback scored a home run for the Cubs).		
St. Louis	4	10 2
New York	5	12 1
(Martin scored a home run for the Cardinals).		
Pittsburgh	1	7 2
Philadelphia	9	19 1
(Allen scored a home run for the Phillies).		

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	R.	H. E.
Boston	3	8 0
Chicago	1	7 0
(Cooke, Cronin and Werber scored home runs for the Red Sox).		
Washington	3	7 1
Detroit	6	10 0
New York	3	7 0
Cleveland	1	11 1
Philadelphia	5	13 0
St. Louis	3	8 1

Reuter.
National Rifle Association Prize Meeting held at Bisley last month and pointed out that in one competition, fired at 200 yards in which approximately 50 per cent. of the competitors were using the 1914 rifle and 50 per cent. the ordinary "packed" Smle rifle, out of 34 highest possible scores obtained, 29 were made with 1914 rifles.

In another competition fired at 200 yards and 500 yards in which 295 competitors were using the 1914 rifle and 313 the "packed" Smle weapon, 33 "possibles" were obtained with the 1914 rifle and 14 "possibles" with the Smle at 200 yards, while at 500 yards, 52 "possibles" were obtained with the 1914 weapon and 29 with the Smle.

He pointed out, however, that in spite of this the premier prize of His Majesty the King was won by a competitor who used a "packed" Smle rifle.

LEAGUE TENNIS Easy Win For Indians

In their "A" Division encounter with the L.R.C. on their own courts, Club de Recreio were defeated by 9 sets to nil.

E. A. Alves and P. M. F. Rosario put up a plucky but hopeless fight in their initial debut in the "A" division.

The scores were:—
L. A. Silva and J. Remedios lost to M. O. Hoosen and F. Pereira 3-6
lost to A. M. Madar and H. D. Rumjahn 1-6
lost to S. A. Rumjahn and S. A. Ismail 3-6
W. A. Reed and H. A. Noronha lost to M. O. Hoosen and F. D. Pereira 1-6
lost to A. M. Madar and H. D. Rumjahn 1-6
lost to S. A. Rumjahn and S. A. Ismail 4-6
P. M. F. Rosario and E. A. Alves lost to M. O. Hoosen and F. D. Pereira 0-6
lost to A. M. Madar and H. D. Rumjahn 3-6
lost to S. A. Rumjahn and S. A. Ismail 1-6

RECREIO BEATEN
In a "B" Division Tennis match at the K.C.C. ground the home team beat the Club de Recreio by 5 sets to 4.

Both teams were of about the same standard, but the home team were better combined than the visitors.

The following were the scores:—
A. W. Ramsey and G. Hesse lost to A. E. Xavier and B. Gosario 3-6
beat L. Carvalho and M. Oliveira 7-5
beat A. M. Xavier and C. Pereira 6-3
G. Burnett and J. Thomson beat A. E. Xavier and B. Gosario 6-3
lost to L. Carvalho and M. Oliveira 2-6
beat A. M. Xavier and C. Pereira 6-2
L. Jack and B. Soltan lost to A. E. Xavier and B. Gosario 0-6
lost to L. Carvalho and M. Oliveira 3-6
beat A. M. Xavier and C. Pereira 6-3

K.I.T.C. LOSE
On the K.I.T.C. courts yesterday the Chinese defeated the home team by 9 sets to nil. The visitors showed an all-round superiority and thoroughly deserved the victory.

The scores were as follows:—
Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan lost to C. C. Luk and M. K. Lau 2-6
lost to Au King and Chan Han Po 4-6
lost to C. Y. Tsao and M. C. Lau 2-6
Jahan Dad and Dr. H. M. Singh lost to C. C. Luk and M. K. Lau 2-6
lost to Au King and Chan Han Po 5-7
lost to C. Y. Tsao and M. C. Lau 3-6
Feroz Ali and J. M. Singh lost to C. C. Luk and M. K. Lau 1-6
lost to Au King and Chan Han Po 3-6
lost to C. Y. Tsao and M. C. Lau 1-6

SOUTH CHINA WIN
On the S.C.A.A. courts the home team entertained and defeated the C.S.C.C. by 7½ sets to 1½ in a "D" Division tennis match.
The scores were:—
T. Wong and L. Y. Hung beat N. J. Bebbington and W. Colledge 6-2
beat Tacchi and A. L. Fisher 6-1
beat L. P. Skinner and B. Aggafuroff 6-3
Tan Man and W. T. Leong lost to N. J. Bebbington and W. Colledge 0-6
drew with Tacchi and A. L. Fisher 6-6
beat L. P. Skinner and B. Aggafuroff 6-1
C. M. Cheong and C. M. Thang beat N. J. Bebbington and W. Colledge 6-2
beat Tacchi and A. L. Fisher 6-2
beat L. P. Skinner and B. Aggafuroff 6-1

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BASEBALL REVIEW Classic Clash To-morrow

(By "BLEACHER")

Snappy baseball was witnessed last Saturday on the La Salle ground when Matty Chang and his boys outplayed the strong American squad, the score of 7 runs to no speaks volume for the tight hitting and hitting ability of the Chinese lads who in the third inning piled on three runs.

Lawrence was in form but his infield men did not give him any support, fielding of the Americans was not good and many an error crept.

ED CHANG WELL BACKED
Ed Chang, the Chinese hurler was well backed up by his infield men and very little was allowed to go past them. His pitching was not very effective but thanks to the help of their basemen and short-stop, very little was given away.

The weakness of the American squad was evident when after conceding singles in the second and third cantos they allowed the Chinese to get away with three in the third. A two in the fourth and another two on the last allowed the Chinese to total 7 runs.

JAPANESE SUPERIOR
The Japanese nine easily accounted for the Canadians by the huge score of 21 runs to four. They had practically everything their own way and had time enough to indulge in several experimental try-outs in the course of the game.

Several pitchers were tried with a view of finding out their second string and from what was on view the Japanese have nothing to

worry about as far as pitchers are concerned.
The pitching of Honda, and Amasaki and the airtight fielding, spell disaster for the Canadians who could do very little against the superior play of the Japanese.

Alfred was about the best hurler the Canadians could muster and his blanking out of 7 men was good. Goldstein, their right-field, was the most successful batsman, bringing in two out of the four runs.

The Japanese scored on every inning and a home run was registered by Hachuma.

A CLASSIC STRUGGLE
Fans who are in need of baseball thrills should be at Caroline Hill on time to-morrow when the two giant teams clash.

The Chinese, favoured in many quarters to carry away the pennant this year, will find the Japanese a tough proposition. Their knowledge of the finer points of the game and their excellent understanding should stand them in good stead.

Getting out of tight corners is a specialty with the Chinese lads and with all this, the destination of league honours at stake one can be certain they will put all they know into the game.

Their fielding as far as I can see is well up to standard, but I am afraid that they have not so many pitchers to call upon to do service, as the Japanese lads. Come what may this game is sure to be a "hot one" and the result will be very close.

NEIGHBOURS CLASH
The Americans and the Canadians are battling to-day on the La Salle College ground. From recent performances the

LAWN TENNIS EXHIBITION Kho Sin-kie's Improved Form

Shanghai, Aug. 12.

After an impressive performance on the previous afternoon, Kho Sin-kie, China's Davis Cup representative, defeated Khoo Hoo-hye, ex-champion of the Shanghai singles tournament, yesterday afternoon on the court of the Cathay Tennis Club in two straight sets, 7-5 and 6-1.

Later in the afternoon Kho Sin-kie participated in a doubles match, being partnered by Lewis Carson, Kho's coach and manager in the American tour. Kho and Carson beat Gordon Lum and Maurice Benavitch by 8-6, 6-2 and 6-4.

A bigger crowd turned out to watch the all-star exhibition sponsored by the China National Amateur Athletic Federation.

USEFUL COURTS

The tout-en-cas courts at the Cathay Club proved to be a great asset as after a downpour of rain between the two matches, the ground was easily dried up with mops, towels and sweeps within half an hour, to be fit for play once more.

The opening set between Kho Sin-kie and Khoo Hoo-hye was

closely contested, the scores being deadlocked on no fewer than four occasions. With the set point in his favour, Khoo Hoo-hye failed to return the tricky shots which the Chinese Davis Cupman sent over the net and thus the score was tied at five games all. Kho Sin-kie took the next two games to gain the verdict at 7 to 5.
The second set was rather one-sided, Kho Sin-kie dominating the court with fast drives and deadly smashes. Kho won the set at 6 to 1, conceding only the fifth game.

RAIN SHOWER HALTS PLAY

Before the doubles exhibition began a heavy shower of rain poured down, much to the discomfort of the spectators. Hundreds of onlookers from the uncovered stands rushed to the northern stands for shelter while the officials and the ground boys got busy drying up the courts.

Kho Sin-kie scored many points on his ace services while his partner, Carson, rendered great assistance with his deadly smashes at the net. Maurice Benavitch was weak and erratic though in the latter part of the contest he suddenly showed a spark of life, obtaining several points at critical moments.

The crowd was generous, giving applause to any player who executed a brilliant shot. The first set, as the score 8-6 would indicate, was well fought. Kho and Carson took the second set with ease, giving away only the fourth and sixth games. The third set produced some interesting play but Carson and Kho easily dominated their opponents, Gordon Lum and Maurice Benavitch.

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BRITAIN'S TRIUMPH IN DAVIS CUP

Hughes And Tuckey Defeat U.S. Pair In Doubles

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 29. As our American friends, the "enemy" of yesterday at Wimbledon, would say, the Davis Cup "stays put" in England for another year, writes a correspondent.

By a brilliant victory in the doubles, when G. P. Hughes and C. R. D. Tuckey beat W. A. Allison and J. Van Ryn, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3, 6-3, the British holders won the third and decisive point. Today's play cannot affect the custody of the Cup.

This is the first time since 1928 when the Americans gained their last success over the French, that the Davis Cup has been won in "straight matches."

It is also the first time for 28 years—when only Hughes of the British team to-day was born—that Great Britain has won the doubles in the challenge round. The British captain of yesterday, Mr. Roper Barrett, had, by the way, a large share in that success of 1907.

Congratulations may be freely distributed—to the partners of yesterday, who had the satisfaction of clinching the Cup in their first match together, each helping to gain the honour and sharing it in equity; and to the selectors of the L.T.A., who, after a vain search for many years, have discovered a match-winning pair.

Victory appeared to be possible and even probable when Hughes and Tuckey, after each side had captured a set, led 5-2 in the third set. This great advantage was sacrificed and the prospects of success began to fade.

But the interval restored both confidence and skill. The match was triumphantly squared in the fourth set, and the final set was captured against two tiring opponents by a close-quarter attack of devastating power.

NOT THE CHAMPIONS OF 1930

I have seen Allison and Van Ryn in happier vein—Van Ryn more consistent in his service returns and finding more holes through his ground strokes. Allison less liable to surrender the initiative at the critical stage, and never so prone to present as many points by double-faulting. The challengers of yesterday were not quite the champions of five years ago.

But in comparing their form with that of their victory-years it must not be forgotten that in their matches of that period they could gauge the strength of, and rehearse their tactics against, the opposing team.

The very freshness of Tuckey and Hughes, the latent talent that they developed, the element of surprise in their "both-well-up" formation in the final phases, were factors calculated to lower the standard of their opponents' resistance—to create the faltering that follows the experience of bitter disillusion.

A FIGHTING START

Now for a few annotations on the match as it progressed. The Americans won the toss and the service, and Allison emphasised the luck by serving out a love game. This did not matter, as Tuckey had plenty of retaliatory cannon balls, and at once began to discharge them on to Allison's backhand line. There was a martial air about these deliveries very pleasing to observe.

Then England's first wound was inflicted—Van Ryn's service was broken through. It was not a deep wound, because Hughes serving a double fault after 40-15, obliged the enemy by losing the next game.

Yet it showed that the British service returns were as provocative as the American, and very soon when Allison and Van Ryn forfeited their deliveries in turn, giving their adversaries the opening set from two, their sharp incision was also advertised.

So far the British pair had scarcely hit a loose ball or failed to form a single opening; they created a wave and rested on its top. That the Americans would now bring out their reserves and attempt to push them off it was to be expected.

AMERICANS ON THEIR TOES
The second set was a retort in kind. The holders began to miss their connections and to arrive late at the appointed place. The Americans were on their toes all

the time, and Allison was in rare form, "on the roof" and in returning service.

The third set, as I have said, brought what looked to be, at the time, a tragic sacrifice by England of ground gallantly tolled for and won.

Its pair had opened by capturing Allison's service; had held their own stubbornly—Hughes smashing with disconcerting spin—and were leading three-love.

They increased the gap to five-two, when Tuckey, given new balls, found his favourite spot with two shattering aces.

TENTH GAME MUDDLED

The set looked ripe for plucking at 6-4. Alas, the tenth game was muddled away. Hughes called for a smash and missed it over Tuckey's head; the Americans snatched another lucky point, and the index game was gone.

In full cry, after this stroke of good fortune, the Americans now played some of the best tennis of the day. Out of seven games they won six, and were out at 8-6, holding a two-set-to-one lead at the interval.

The last game in the third set was quite the strangest of the day. In spite of four double faults by Allison the Americans held it, and the weirdest feature of all was that the man who served the double-faults was mainly responsible for the brilliant winners that captured it.

OMINOUS SIGNALS

Yet those double-faults were ominous signals which must have heartened the British pair when they returned to the fight.

They spoke of physical reaction under strain; they indicated that Allison might be the weak link in the chain later on.

So it proved. As Hughes and Tuckey, moving their base forward after the rest period, and looking down on the enemy's territory from commanding positions near the net, began to quicken both the pace and the pressure, the Americans' counter charges were seen to slacken.

Then, too, at the end of the fourth set, the British pair got a lucky rub of the court, when Van Ryn was foot-faulted at game point in the eighth game.

It was a disturbing penalty at so vital a stage. Van Ryn had a little friendly conversation with the foot-fault judge before the next set began, and did not make the technical infringement again.

FINE FOREHAND DRIVES

The fifth set opened auspiciously enough for the home pair. They broke through Allison's service, Hughes drawing warm applause with two splendid forehand drives.

This fracture governed the set; both sides sensed its moral value. All served well up to five-three, and both Hughes and Tuckey, selecting just the right moment for a raid across the court, brought off some capital poaches.

Finally Allison served for the last time. His heroic efforts had taken their physical toll. The Americans collected only one point, and the match ended, not with a knock-out blow, but with a stroke just as useful to the British—a double-fault.

As a spectacle the match provided good measure for the spectators' money. It went the full course, and the verdict was held in suspense until the last game, although the trained eye saw that the Americans were losing ground half-way through the final bout.

All the players deserve our thanks for supplying such a gallant fight. If home supporters are delighted not only that the Davis Cup is safe in its moorings for another year, but that a victorious doubles pair has at last been found, they will testify with one voice to the sporting character of the challenging team.

One incident to illustrate their chivalry may be mentioned. In the third set, at an important stage, there was a feverish volleying rally, with all four players at the net.

The umpire probably had not noticed that Allison had struck the ball twice in the rapid exchanges. He immediately gave the signal that the point must go to his opponents. That little episode will live when others that loom more largely now may be forgotten.

ROTARY CUP ENCOUNTER

China And Portugal Level At One Each

Shanghai, Aug. 12.

The opening match for the Rotary Cup tennis trophy took place yesterday at the Shanghai Tennis Club's courts on Rue Conty where H. Collaco won one point for Portugal by defeating S. Sudo in one of the grimmest tennis battles to have been witnessed this season, while in the second string singles match, H. Ohno was able to subdue, with ease, his Portuguese opponent B. E. Pintos thus leaving matters in the balance until this afternoon when the doubles match between Portugal and Japan will be played.

H. and S. Collaco have been selected to represent Portugal while S. Sudo and S. Suzuki will carry the colours of Japan. The match will commence at 4.30 p.m. at the Shanghai Tennis Club and, judging by the form displayed yesterday, the battle for the honours should be an interesting one.

CLOSE FIRST SET

Collaco opened up the battle against Sudo by taking the first game, but Sudo, playing with confidence, retaliated by capturing the second point. Collaco again took the lead with the third game, while Sudo again equalized with the fourth, the score standing at 2/2. Fighting every inch of the ground, Collaco seemed to be summing up his Japanese rival, and the two soon fell to back line play driving hard swift forehand shots to the corners, returning balls where necessary with almost perfect back hand drives, fighting grimly for each point.

It was not until the eleventh game that Sudo with the points standing at five all, was able to forge ahead and capture the following two set points, the score being 7/5 favour of Japan.

The second set saw Sudo win the first game, which was to be his only point in this set. Collaco playing at the top of his form fought magnificently, eking point by point from a grudging and dogged rival.

GRUELLING TASK

With the conclusion of this set both realized that the victory could not be easily won. Collaco and Sudo settled down to a game with but one object in mind, and that was to wear the weaker man down. It was a gruelling task and both players resorted to onslaughts from the back line, driving each ball low over the net with a doggedness under which lurked a grim purposefulness that held the mere handful of spectators in constant suspense.

The opening game of the third set went to Portugal, but Japan equalized with the second game taking a lead in the following game, the score standing at 2/1 in favour of Sudo. This advantage was not to be held for long for Collaco, swift and graceful on his feet was able to drive well placed balls over the net and defeat his rival for the equalising point, 2/2.

Sudo then rallied and captured his third and last game of this set, while Collaco was able to take the following four games. Sudo persevered with the characteristic dogged of his race, but his Portuguese rival was able to take the honours largely as a result of the latter's superior physical condition.

BRIEF LULL

A brief lull in the match not only afforded the players with a rest, but gave the onlookers a chance to speculate on the ultimate result of the game.

The third set saw Sudo weakening and obviously feeling the effects of the tiring and monotonous play to which both he and Collaco had subjected each other. The match, from a spectator's view point would have been boring had the two players not been of the first order. Their drives, both forehand and backhand, were masterpieces of accuracy and careful placing. The battle up to this point had been one of exacting thoroughness in play and technique. Both players seemed to know exactly what the other had in mind to do with the ball and placed himself in an advantageous position to return the shot.

Scoring was to the greater extent not taken on outplacings each other, but by balls being driven either out of court or into the net.

On resumption of play for the fourth set, Collaco took the first two points, with Sudo apparently

HOME CRICKET

Yorkshire Again!

London, Aug. 15.

Yorkshire is well on her way to regaining the County Cricket championship which she lost last season to Lancashire when she suffered seriously from the absence of many of her leading players, whose services were required for England against the Australians.

The demands made upon the Northern county this season have been equally heavy but Yorkshire has managed to win her matches by convincing margins nevertheless. In many instances only two days have been taken to subdue opposition.

In the last match in which the County has been engaged Yorkshire, continued in winning vein and severely trounced Derbyshire, her nearest rivals, by no less a margin than ten wickets at Scarborough.

There was no outstanding performance by any one particular player but each did his share and when Yorkshire went to the wickets a total of 304 was reached. Then the bowlers came to the aid of the County by dismissing Derbyshire for 133 runs to enable the follow-on to be enforced. In her second innings Derbyshire made 174.

Yorkshire then went to the wickets to score five runs without loss. Yorkshire has five more matches to play before the close of the season, but she has now established such a commanding lead that there seems little doubt of her ultimate success.

On Saturday she meets Middlesex at Leeds and her remaining matches are against Worcestershire at Worcester, Surrey at the Oval, Sussex at Hove and Hampshire at Portsmouth.

Reuter.

PASSENGERS

The following passengers arrived yesterday by the s.s. Pres. Jackson from Manila.

Miss Mary W. Eschoff, Mr. J. K. Bousfield, Mr. J. C. Chan, Miss Rae M. Isaac, Mr. Joseph A. Kelly, Mr. Law Say Pong, Mr. G. R. Lindahl, Mstr. R. G. Lyttie, Mrs. Suy Wan, Mrs. Leand Wong, Master Samuel Wong, Mr. Wong Hong, Mr. Wong Ning, Mr. F. Y. Yung.

The following passengers arrived yesterday from United Kingdom via Ports Per s.s. "Patroclus".

Captain J. S. Anderson, Dr. Beveridge, Mrs. Beveridge, Professor D. B. Blacklock, Mrs. Blacklock, Mrs. A. W. Clark, Mr. H. Dodge, Mrs. M. J. Harrison, Mr. A. C. Hargrave, Miss C. R. Hammond, Mr. T. R. Hutton, Miss J. B. Kidd, Lieut. B. S. Lewis, Surg. Miss W. Lawson, Mr. J. L. R. Mair, Mr. J. P. McEvoy, Mr. J. B. Neilson, Miss L. Ozerio, Mr. J. D. Papilio, Mr. I. M. Thomas, Miss C. L. Teare, Miss H. Wheeler.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The steam ship "Sirdhana" left Singapore for this port on the 15th instant, and is due here on the 20th instant.

The Blue Funnel steam ship "Teucer" will arrive from Singapore on 20th August, 1935.

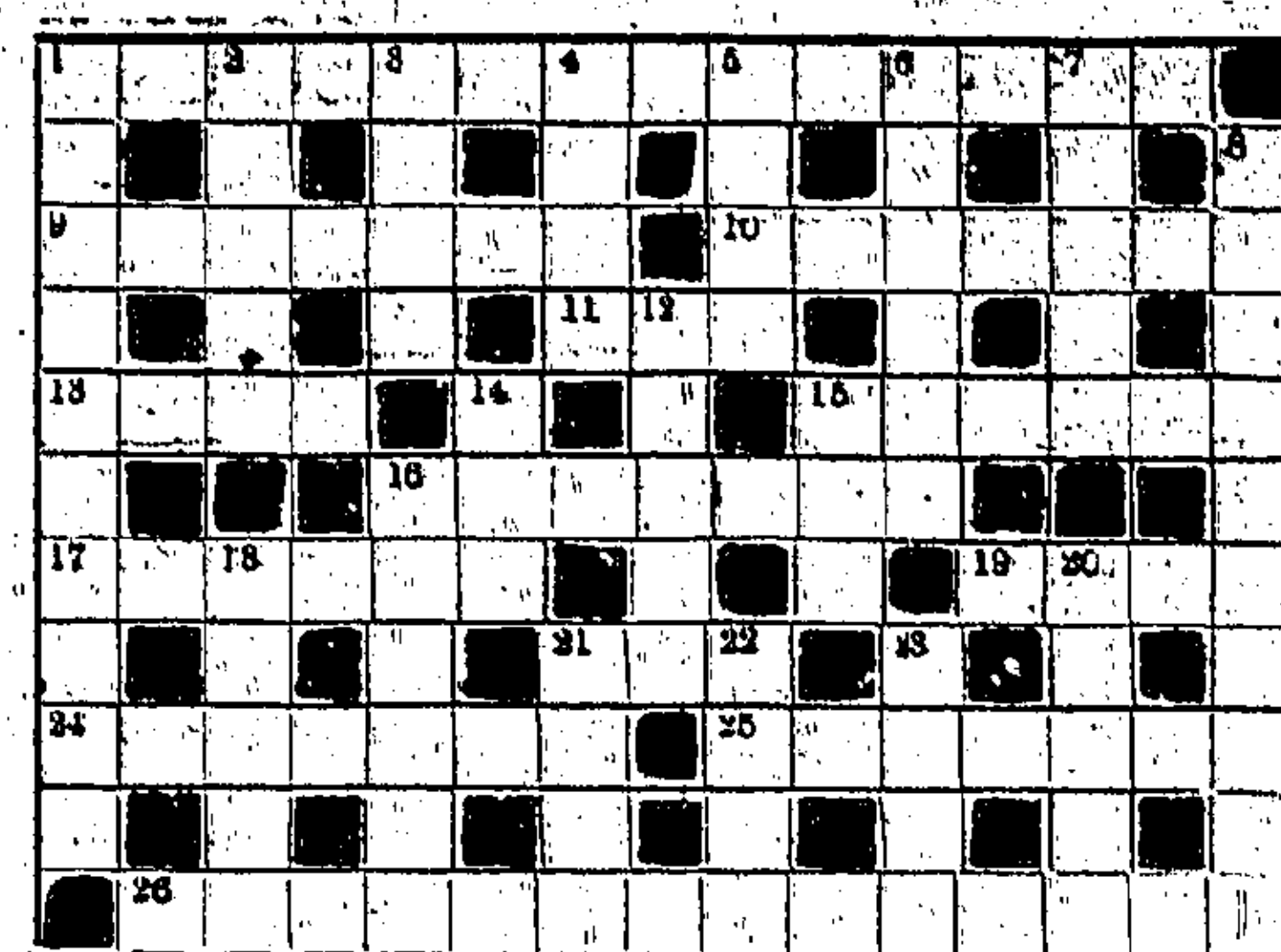
The R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" (from Manila) is due here at 7.00 a.m. on the 21st August (Wednesday), and will berth at Kowloon Wharf.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" will leave here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama at 6 a.m. on the 23rd August (Friday).

conscious that if this set were lost by him the honours would go to Portugal. This fact must have unsteadied Sudo to a great extent, for he was serving repeated doubles and driving wild. In the third game he pulled himself together and went forward to win the next two points to equalize, 2/2. The play at times seemed to indicate that Sudo was capable of capturing the games but any hopes momentarily raised, were soon to be shattered as Sudo, although not giving way to any serious extent, lost control of his finer play, and lost the succeeding four games by narrow margins to Collaco.

The results were: Collaco (Portugal) beat Sudo (Japan), 5/7, 6/1, 6/3, 6/2; H. Ohno (Japan) beat B. E. Pintos (Portugal), 6/3, 6/2, 6/2.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



NOTE—Figures in parentheses indicate number of letters in the words required.

- Across
- 1—To express an indefinite period in words, we must do "as funny, moths do" I (anagram) (14).
 - 9—It may have a cargo aboard and yet be less heavy! (7).
 - 10—A kind of cheese (7).
 - 11—We find much instruction about early settlements in the various accounts that we this (3).
 - 13—More's the this is so much the worse (4).
 - 15—The pight that leads us to the brink at last (6).
 - 16—Is in a very parched condition (7).
 - 17—A good clue should be anything but transparent (8).
 - 19—It was used formerly but it's out of date now (4).
 - 21—This is also old-fashioned (3).
 - 24—A strange peculiarity (7).
 - 25—Is very like a worm (7).
 - 26—Just the thing to make one feel young again! (14).

- Down
- 1—A clue would be unsuitable and out of place (10).
 - 2—Few men, nowadays, wear this cap and gown (5).
 - 3—"Every offence is not a— at first" (Mex. of Ven.) (4).
 - 4—This game gives a sound suggestion of pyramids (4).
 - 5—A surgeon may have to drive hard, if an only son has to be spared (4).
 - 7—A door, locked and bolted is "For Produce" it seems we use the "e" idly (6).
 - 8—Life's but a little span, and yet there's much that calls for deep regret (10).
 - 12—A wrinkle, a wale, or a mollusc (5).
 - 14—Do you know the old joke of this Miller? (3).
 - 15—Peer (3).
 - 16—A substantial sort of writing-desk (8).
 - 18—This is apt to confuse (5).
 - 20—What our King can do so well, as a rule (5).
 - 22—A name for a woman or a man (4).
 - 22—A joyous shout in the festival of Bacchus (4).
 - 23—A man from America (4).

The following is the solution of yesterday's puzzle:—

Across.—1. Be-he-st, 6. Loathe, 10. Conceit, 11. Whilom, 12. Strong, 13. Permute, 16. Rosie (osier), 17. Ra-p-id, 18. Gust-o, 19. Carol, 22. Ves-a, 25. Endorse, 26. Immune, 30. Trials, 3. Tweaked, 32. Bathos, 33. Winkle.

Down.—1. B-ower, 2. Hairs, 3. Scope, 4. To-me, 5. Scum, 6. List, 7. Otter, 8. Troop, 9. Egged, 14. Round, 15. Utter, 19. C-imb, 20. Rem't, 21. Lent-o, 22. Verdi, 23. Slack-(s), 24. Aisle, 26. News, 27. O-ban, 28. Stew.

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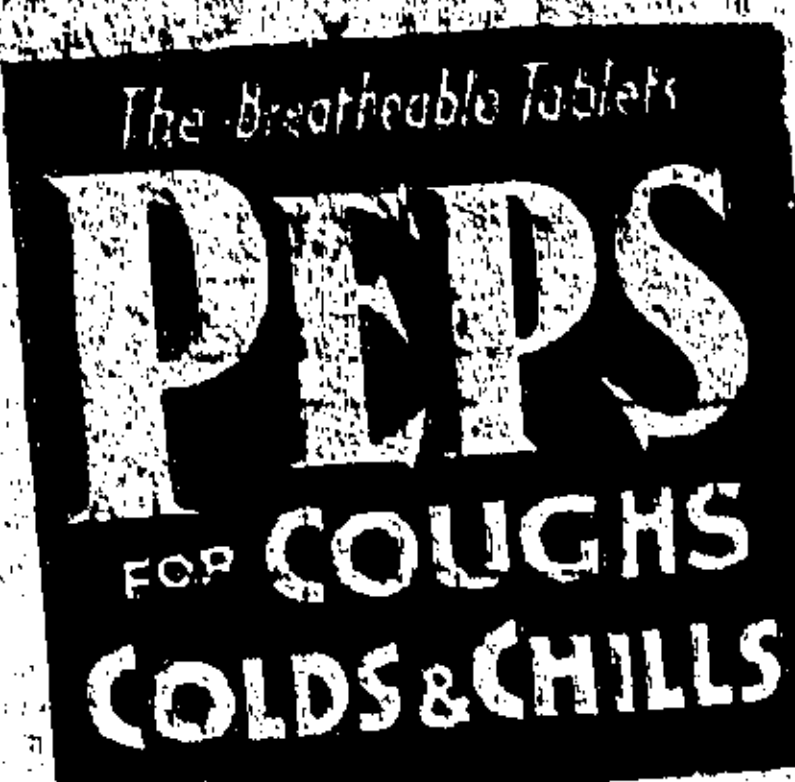
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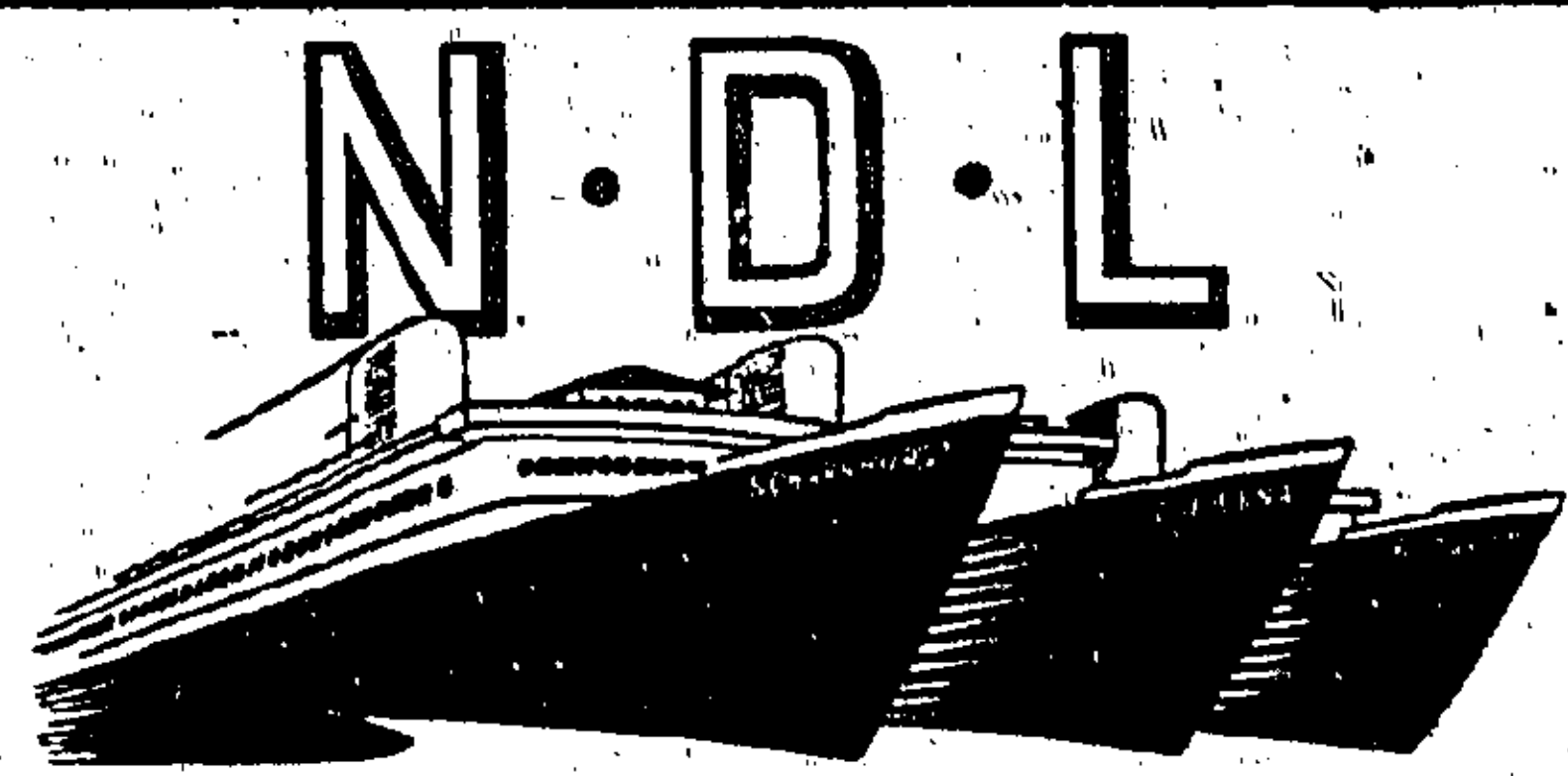
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FOREIGN TRADE RETURNS

German Export Surplus

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Berlin, Aug. 15.

A substantial export surplus of 28 million marks was revealed by the foreign trade returns for the month of July, the most gratifying feature being the increase of both imports and exports, the improvement of the latter being, however, proportionately greater than the former.

In June 1935, the imports and exports balanced exactly, while in July 1934 it showed an excess of imports over exports by 42 million marks. The exports in July 1935 were 359 million marks as against 318 in June 1935, and 321 in July 1934. The increase of imports in July 1935 as compared with June 1935 was 4 per cent, whereas the increase of exports in the same period shows an advance of 12.9 per cent.

The very satisfactory feature in imports is rawstuffs cleared, which increased from 203.3 millions marks in June 1935 to 212.6 millions in July 1935—this indicates the growing intensification of industrial activity.

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BERLIN BOURSE

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Berlin, Aug. 15.

The tendency again is firm, operators rather than public creating a demand, while a certain section of the market is showing a marked increase in the turnover. Fixed interest securities are dull, many stocks closing a shade lower than on Wednesday. Call money at 2 1/2 to 3.

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SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latest Singapore Prices

Messrs. BENJAMIN & POTTS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore yesterday for Raw Rubber:

Spot	19 1/2 cts up 1 ct.
September	19 1/2 cts up 1 ct.
Oct./Dec.	20 1/2 cts up 1 ct.
Jan./Mar.	21 cts up 1 ct.
Market	Quiet.

Messrs. JOSEPH & CO.

Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following Straits currency quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber:

Spot	19 1/2 cts up 1 ct.
Oct./Dec.	20 1/2 cts up 1 ct.
Jan./Mar.	21 cts up 1 ct.
Apr./June	21 1/2 cts up 1 ct.
Market	Uncertain.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS

Silver prices were again lowered yesterday to the extent of 3/16 for Ready and 1/4 for Forward, the quotations being 29 and 28 15/16 respectively. Silver advances reported India and speculators as having sold. America bought. The market closed steady.

In America the rate was lower at 65 1/2 for spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was unchanged at 49 1/2 and the New York/London rate dropped 1/8 to 49 1/2.

Market

Steady but quiet.

Sterling

Business was done during the course of the morning at 2/0 for near and 2/0 1/16 for second half of September/October. Later the market eased off slightly and business was done at 2/0 for October. 1/11 15/16 for cash and September and also 1/11 for August. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/11 1/2 for August and 1/11 15/16 for second half of September/October, buyers at 1/11 15/16 for near and September and 2/0 for October.

U.S. Dollars

Business was done at 49 9/16 and subsequently 49 1/2 for September delivery. There were sellers at 49 9/16 for August and probably 49 1/2 for September, buyers at 49 1/2 for cash and 49 11/16 for second half of September and probably October. Some business was also reported during the course of the morning at 49 1/2 for October delivery.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers were quoted at 134 1/2 for cash.

Shanghai Market

Opened with sellers at 1/5 1/2 with business reported as high as 1/4 1/16 for spot. The market closed at noon with sellers at 1/5 1/2 for spot. Slightly easier. U.S. Dollars opened with sellers at 37 1/16 with business done at 37 1/16 for spot. The market closed easier with sellers offering only 36 13/16 for spot.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market was very quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling

In Sterling business was done at 2/0 1/16 for September, second half of September and October finishing with sellers at 2/0 for August/September and 2/0 1/16 for October, buyers at 2/0 1/16 for August/second half of September and 2/0 1/2 for second half of October/November.

U.S. Dollars

Business was done at 49 1/2 for September delivery. The market closed with sellers at 49 13/16 for August/September, buyers at 49 1/2 for near and probably September.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Business on the Exchange during the week under review has been better than has been the case of late, the slump in exchange being responsible for the very strong demand for the leading sterling stocks, which however did not result in large business, owing to scarcity of scrip. There has also been quite a fair demand for other stocks, mostly in the Public Utility section, but the changes in quotations were not very extensive.

With so many stocks yielding good returns, better than for some time past, it is surprising that local investors do not come forward to buy more extensively.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

Canton Insurances, \$185.
Hongkong Fire, \$180.
Provident (old), 55cts.
Hotels, 33 1/2.
Lands, 228.
Humphreys, 77 1/2.
Tranways, 12.55, 12 1/2.
China Lights, 58 1/2.
Electricity, 55 1/2, 55 1/2, 55 1/2, 55 1/2.
Telephones (old), 220.35.
Antamoks, 79 1/2 cts.
Gold Rivers, 8 1/2 cts, 7 cts.
Govt. 4% Loan, 6 1/2 Prem.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

	Aug. 14	Aug. 15
Paris	75.1/64	75.1/84
Geneva	15.20	15.20 1/2
Berlin	12.32	12.33
Athens	516	515
Milan	60.7/16	60.15/32
Shanghai	1/5 1/2	1/5 1/2
New York	4.98 3/16	4.98 1/2
Amsterdam	7.34	7.34 1/2
Vienna	26	26
Prague	119.9/16	119 1/2
Budapest	625	625
Madrid	36.7/32	36.7/32
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hong Kong	1/11.9/16	1/11 1/2
Brussels	29.46	29.44 1/2
Montevideo	39 1/2	39 1/2
Belgrade	216	216
Montreal	4.99	4.98 1/2
Yokohama	1/2.5/32	1/2.3/16
Helsingfors	228 1/2	228 1/2
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2
Buenos Aires	15	15
Silver (Spot)	29.3/16	29
Silver (forward)	29.3/16	28.15/16
War Loan	106 1/2	106 1/2

Closing Quotations

	August 16, 1935
ON LONDON:	
Telegraphic Transfer	11 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	11 1/2
Bank Bills, 4 months	11 1/2
Bank Bills, 6 months	11 1/2
Credits, four months	11 1/2
Credits, six months	11 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:	
On Demand	33
ON SINGAPORE:	
On Demand	4
ON JAPAN:	
On Demand	16 1/2
ON INDIA:	
Telegraphic Transfer	29 1/2
Bank, on demand	29 1/2
ON NEW YORK:	
Bank Bills, on demand	49 1/2
Credits, 60 days sight	49 1/2
ON BATAVIA:	
On Demand	7 1/2
ON PARIS:	
Bank Bills, on demand	7 1/2
Credits, 4 months sight	7 1/2
ON SAIGON:	
On Demand	7 1/2
ON MANILA:	
On Demand	9 1/2
ON BANGKOK:	
On Demand	9 1/2
SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying	2 1/2
Rate	2 1/2
BAR SILVER, per oz.	2 1/2

FOREIGN CURRENCY DISTURBANCES

Policy Of Economy

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 29.

Italian action in reducing the gold cover for the lira synchronises with the difficulties of the Dutch Government in its campaign for economy. Both movements have importance for this country, for London is the world's financial centre. In Holland the future of the guilder and the question whether that country can continue to maintain the Gold Standard turns on the fate of the Government, which has postponed until to-day its decision whether to resign or to ask for a General Election. Dr. Colijn, the Prime Minister, has up to now failed to find the necessary support for his policy of economy combined with a cut in the interest upon certain Government securities. The withdrawal of the Roman Catholic vote leaves him without a majority. Whether his opponents have sufficient unity to form a Government, or boldness enough to abandon gold, is doubtful. Holland is confronted with the dilemma that recently faced France, and the present expectation is that she will decide, as has France, for the economies necessary to balance the Budget rather than for the perils of devaluation.

BANK RATE RAISED

A loss of £7,000,000 of gold yesterday was accompanied by the raising of the Netherlands Bank rate to 3 per cent. The latter is a precautionary measure. The Dutch banking system is strong, the country has large reserves of gold, and the Dutch stock markets certainly show no sign of uneasiness about the immediate future. If the Government retains office it will do so with the determination to keep the guilder on gold by whatever measures of economy are necessary. The Italian position differs materially from the Dutch. Reduction of the gold cover for the currency is a consequence of the necessity of meeting debts contracted abroad owing to the large imports of munitions of every kind. Those debts are likely to increase largely in the next few months, for as our City Editor has said, "a badly unbalanced Budget will not be improved by the huge cost of the Abyssinia adventure." Italy remains nominally on gold, and will probably do her best to defend the lira in the exchange market, but circumstances may prove too strong. Her position is far more precarious than that of Holland and must be for some time the main cause of anxiety among the countries of the gold bloc.

FINANCIAL CRISES ABROAD

Happenings such as these postpone alike the prospects of currency stabilisation and any substantial revival of international trade. They are disturbing to London in scarcely less degree than they are to the countries immediately concerned. The last thing that the City desires is financial crises abroad, and at the present time the Exchange Stabilisation Fund is being actively used to smooth out fluctuations. It is desirable to say this because the idea that Great Britain has a selfish interest in the trials that beset the gold bloc countries finds too frequent expression abroad. Nothing could be less true. The recent action of the Bank of England in discouraging forward speculation in gold is an outstanding example of the anxiety that the City has shown to help the gold countries. Any situation that causes wide fluctuations in currency is a disadvantage to British trade and an embarrassment to British banking interests. It puts further ahead the time when the exchange of goods between the nations can be carried on with certainty regarding payment, without which trade remains small in volume and speculative.

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Pres. Hoover Aug. 29, 6 p.m.
Pres. Hayes Aug. 31, 8 a.m.
Pres. Grant Sept. 7, 6 p.m.

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Hong Kong, 16th Aug., 1935. [3748]

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HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 23rd Aug. Noon
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUNAN"	On 23rd Aug. 3 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KWANGTUNG"	On 24th Aug. 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI	"SUNNING"	On 25th Aug. 11 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SUNNING"	On 25th Aug. 3 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"KANGSU"	On 26th Aug. 2 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SOOCHOW"	On 27th Aug. 3 p.m.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"MUINAM"	On 28th Aug. Noon
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KWEIYANG"	On 29th Aug. 2 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANHUI"	On 30th Aug. 8 a.m.

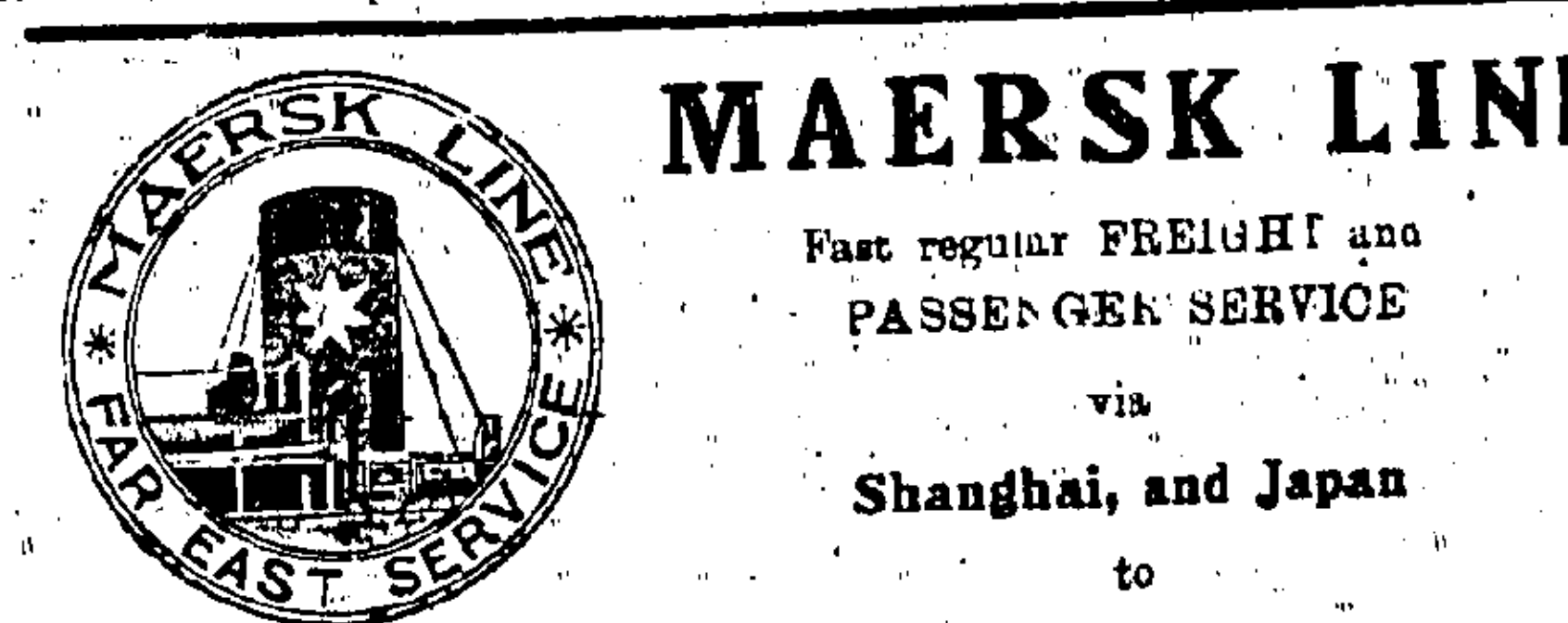
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NORTHWARD	
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN	
Amoy.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 17.	
Hozan Maru, O.S.K., August 18.	
Tsushima, J.C.J. Line, August 18.	
Haiyang, Douglas, August 19.	
Taiyuan, B. & S., August 21.	
Siridhana, B.I. (Aper), August 22.	
Haitan, Douglas, August 23.	
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 24.	
Canou Maru, O.S.K., August 25.	
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 25.	
Anahua, B. & S., August 26.	
Haining, Douglas, August 27.	
Haiyang, Douglas, August 30.	
Hosang, Jardine's, September 1.	
Anhui, B. & S., September 10.	
Chefoo.	
Sunning, B. & S., August 15.	
Chekiang, B. & S., August 21.	
Hosang, Jardine's, August 21.	
Hupoh, B. & S., August 23.	
Dairen.	
Touner, B. & S., August 23.	
Ermland, Jensen's, September 1.	
Odor, Melchers, September 5.	
Antenor, B. & S., September 14.	
Trave, Melchers, September 15.	
Fochow.	
Sunning, B. & S., August 18.	
Haiyang, Douglas, August 20.	
Chekiang, B. & S., August 21.	
Hosang, Jardine's, August 21.	
Haitan, Douglas, August 21.	
Szechuen, B. & S., August 25.	
Haining, Douglas, August 27.	
Haiyang, Douglas, August 30.	
Rankow.	
Touner, B. & S., August 23.	
JAPAN (Direct).	
Tyndareus, B. & S., August 22.	
Chinese Prince, Furness, August 23.	
Hosang, Jardine's, September 1.	
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.	
Ision, B. & S., September 12.	
Keelung.	
Hozan Maru, O.S.K., August 18.	
Canou Maru, O.S.K., August 25.	
Panama Maru, O.S.K., September 11.	
Shanghai and Japan.	
General Lee, States Co., August 17.	
Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.	
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.	
Sumatra, Lloyd Triestino, August 20.	
Ranpara, P. & O., August 22.	
Siridhana, B.I. (Aper), August 22.	
Canou, Gilman's, August 23.	
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 23.	
Touner, B. & S., August 23.	
D'Artagnan, Messageries, August 24.	
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.	
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., August 30.	
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 30.	
Memnon, B. & S., August 31.	
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 1.	
Ermland, Jensen's, September 1.	
Annam, E. A. Co., September 4.	
Annam Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.	
Burdwan, P. & O., September 4.	
Odor, Melchers, September 5.	
Rajputana, P. & O., September 5.	
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 6.	
Athos II, Messageries, September 7.	
General Pershing, States Co., Sept. 7.	
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.	
Achilles, B. & S., September 10.	
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, September 13.	
Rheinland, Jensen's, September 13.	
Trave, Melchers, September 15.	
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., September 20.	
SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 17.	
Glaucus, B. & S., August 18.	
Hoihow, B. & S., August 18.	
Sunning, B. & S., August 18.	
Kwaiyang, Jardine's, August 18.	
Sandviken, Jardine's, August 21.	
Suiyang, B. & S., August 21.	
Taiyuan, B. & S., August 21.	
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 22.	
Hupoh, B. & S., August 23.	
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 24.	
Szechuen, B. & S., August 25.	
Takung, Jardine's, August 25.	
Devisen, Jardine's, August 26.	
Touner, B. & S., August 26.	
Memnon, B. & S., August 31.	
Odor, Melchers, September 5.	
Trave, Melchers, September 15.	
Swatow.	
Hoihow, B. & S., August 18.	
Hozan Maru, O.S.K., August 18.	
Kwaiyang, Jardine's, August 18.	
Seistan, Douglas, August 18.	
Hiram, Thoresen's, August 19.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 19.	
Haiyang, Douglas, August 20.	
Caligan, B. & S., August 20.	
Chekiang, B. & S., August 21.	
Hosang, Jardine's, August 21.	
Sandviken, Jardine's, August 21.	
Seistan, Douglas, August 21.	
Suiyang, B. & S., August 21.	
Haitan, Douglas, August 23.	
Hupoh, B. & S., August 23.	
Canou Maru, O.S.K., August 25.	
Seistan, Douglas, August 25.	
Takung, Jardine's, August 25.	
Anhui, B. & S., August 26.	
Hallas, Thoresen's, August 26.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 26.	
Haining, Douglas, August 27.	
Daviken, Jardine's, August 28.	
Seistan, Douglas, August 28.	
Haiyang, Douglas, August 30.	
Hellas, Thoresen's, September 2.	
Kwaiyang, B. & S., September 2.	
Anhui, B. & S., September 10.	
Taku Bar.	
Ermland, Jensen's, September 1.	
Odor, Melchers, September 5.	
Antenor, B. & S., September 14.	
Trave, Melchers, September 15.	
Tientsin.	
Hermold, E. A. Co., August 17.	
Chekiang, B. & S., August 21.	
Hosang, Jardine's, August 21.	
Hupoh, B. & S., August 23.	
Tientsin.	
Kwaiyang, Jardine's, August 18.	
Chekiang, B. & S., August 21.	
Sandviken, Jardine's, August 21.	
Hupoh, B. & S., August 23.	
Takung, Jardine's, August 25.	
Daviken, Jardine's, August 26.	
Ermland, Jensen's, September 1.	
Odor, Melchers, September 5.	
Antenor, B. & S., September 14.	

EASTWARD

AND SOUTH AMERICA

Bahia.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.
City of Elwood, States Co., Sept. 10.

Baltimore.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Glaucus, B. & S., September 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.
City of Elwood, States Co., Sept. 10.

Boston and New York.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.
City of Elwood, States Co., Sept. 10.

Cleveland.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.
City of Elwood, States Co., Sept. 10.

Honolulu.

Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 6.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.

Los Angeles.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.

Montreal.

Glaucus, B. & S., September 2.

Panama.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.
City of Elwood, States Co., Sept. 10.

Philadelphia.

Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, August 18.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Glaucus, B. & S., September 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., September 9.
City of Elwood, States Co., Sept. 10.

Portland and Puget Sound.

General Lee, States Co., August 17.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.
General Pershing, States Co., Sept. 7.

Puerto Colombia.

Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.

San Francisco.

General Lee, States Co., August 17.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, August 18.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 23.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
General Pershing, States Co., Sept. 7.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 7.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.

Seattle.

Tyndareus, B. & S., August 22.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 30.
Ision, B. & S., September 12.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, September 13.

South America (W.C.)

Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., September 9.

Vancouver, B.C.

Tyndareus, B. & S., August 22.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 23.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 6.
Ision, B. & S., September 12.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., September 20.

Victoria, B.C.

Tyndareus, B. & S., August 22.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 23.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 30.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 6.
Ision, B. & S., September 12.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, September 13.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., September 20.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.

Changtse, B. & S., August 20.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 31.
Taiping, B. & S., September 17.

Ball.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 20.

Bangkok.

Hiram, Thoresen's, August 19.
Kwangchow, B. & S., August 19.
Kalgen, B. & S., August 22.
Hellas, Thoresen's, August 23.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 23.
Hellas, Thoresen's, September 2.
Kwaiyang, B. & S., September 2.

Batavia.

Roseville, Bank Line, August 22.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 27.

Belawan.

Borneo Maru, O.S.K., August 20.
Roseville, Bank Line, August 26.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26.
Saale, Melchers, August 28.
Potsdam, Melchers, September 3.

Brissau.

Changtse, B. & S., August 20.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 31.
Taiping, B. & S., September 17.

Canton.

Changtse, B. & S., August 20.
Taiping, B. & S., September 17.

Cebu.

Silverstrand, Furness, August 25.
Nora Maersk, Jensen's, August 31.

Dairen.

Silverstrand, Furness, August 25.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 26.

Hankow.

Kingman, B. & S., August 23.

Hongkong.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 31.

Hoihow.

Kalgen, B. & S., August 22.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 23.	
Mulman, B. & S., August 29.	
Lao.	
Bremerhaven, Melchers, August 25.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 20.	
Manila.	
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, August 17.	
Changtse, B. & S., August 20.	
President Hayes, Dollar's, August 20.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 20.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.	
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 24.	
Rhein, Jensen's, August 24.	
Silverstrand, Furness, August 25.	
Laomedon, B. & S., August 28.	
Michigan, States Co., August 28.	
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 28.	
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, August 29.	
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 30.	
General Pershing, States Co., Aug. 31.	
Nora Maersk, Jensen's, August 31.	
President Hayes, Dollar's, August 31.	
Glaucus, B. & S., September 2.	
Ruhr, Jensen's, September 2.	
Nagura, Gilman's, September 3.	
Potsdam, Melchers, September 3.	
General Pershing, States Co., Sept. 7.	
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, September 14.	
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 14.	
Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, September 14.	
Pres. Cleveland, Dollar's, September 17.	
Taiping, B. & S., September 17.	
Melbourne.	
Changtse, B. & S., August 20.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.	
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 31.	
Taiping, B. & S., September 17.	
Mien.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.	
Pahang.	
Bremerhaven, Melchers, August 25.	
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 31.	
Bremerhaven, Melchers, August 25.	
Samarang.	
Roseville, Bank Line, August 22.	
Sandakan.	
Hinsang, Jardine's, September 5.	
Sourabaya.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 20.	
Roseville, Bank Line, August 22.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, August 20.	
Bremerhaven, Melchers, August 25.	
Sydney.	
Changtse, B. & S., August 20.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.	
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Taiping, B. & S., September 17.	
Thursday Island.	
Changtse, B. & S., August 20.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 20.	
Taiping, B. & S., September 17.	
Tulagi.	
Bremerhaven, Melchers, August 25.	
WESTWARD	
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Aden.	
Bhutan, P. & O., August 17.	
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., August 17.	
Ranchi, P. & O., August 21.	
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 25.	
Chenonceaux, Messageries, August 28.	
Sarpedon, B. & S., August 28.	
Behar, P. & O., August 31.	
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 31.	
D'Artagnan, Messageries, Sept. 10.	
Alexandria.	

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	Hong Kong	Shanghai	Nagasaki	Kobe	Yokohama	Honolulu	Vancouver
	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
E/Japan	Jan. 14	Jan. 16	Jan. 19	Jan. 21	Jan. 27	Feb. 1	
E/Asia	Jan. 20	Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 8	Feb. 15	
E/Canada	Feb. 11	Feb. 13	Feb. 16	Feb. 18	Feb. 23	Mar. 1	
E/Russia	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 5	Mar. 14	
E/Japan	Mar. 6	Mar. 8	Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 24	
E/Asia	Mar. 20	Mar. 28	Mar. 34	Mar. 36	Mar. 39	Apr. 6	
E/Canada	Apr. 3	Apr. 5	Apr. 8	Apr. 10	Apr. 17	Apr. 22	
E/Russia	Apr. 17	Apr. 19	Apr. 21	Apr. 23	Apr. 25	May 4	
E/Japan	May 1	May 3	May 6	May 8	May 14	May 19	
E/Asia	May 15	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23	June 1	
E/Canada	May 29	May 31	June 3	June 5	June 12	June 17	
E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 29	
E/Japan	June 28	June 30	July 1	July 3	July 9	July 14	
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 27	
E/Canada	July 24	July 26	July 29	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 12	

Next Sailing to VANCOUVER

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Sailings to MANILA

EMPRESS OF JAPAN ... Aug. 30th.

EMPRESS OF ASIA ... Sept. 14th.

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TATSUTA MARU ... Wednesday, 16th Oct.

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HIKAWA MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 2nd Sept.

HIYE MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 15th Sept.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTIWERP, ROTTERDAM.

HARUNA MARU ... Saturday, 17th Aug.

KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 31st Aug.

KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 11th Sept.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 24th Aug.

ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 29th Sept.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TOKIWA MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.

GENOA MARU ... Friday, 6th Sept.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

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D'ARTAGNAN ... 24th Aug.	CHENONOEUX ... 23rd Aug.
ATHOS II ... 7th Sept.	D'ARTAGNAN ... 14th Sept.
ANDRE LEBON ... 21st Sept.	ATHOS II ... 24th Sept.
MARCHEL JOFFRE ... 5th Oct.	ANDRE LEBON ... 8th Oct.
SPHINX ... 14th Oct.	MARCHEL JOFFRE ... 22nd Oct.
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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 4,600 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO
12,300 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:-

	Cargo for Through	H. K. Ports
British		
Hang Sang	—	250
Hydrangea	100	—
Santhia	177	2,721
Amoy	—	10
Yochow	—	—
Canton	—	115
Yingchow	—	149
Sunning	—	—
Canton	—	—
Holchow	185	—
Tyndareus	—	—
Shanghai	840	—
—	1,302	3,248
American		
Pres. Harrison	689	4,436
—	—	688
—	—	4,436
Japanese		
Hozan Maru	—	—
Swatow	1,157	—
Atsuta Maru	—	—
Manila	419	3,930
Noshiro Maru	—	—
Kobe	587	—
—	—	2,143
—	—	3,930
Chinese		
Kung Ping	—	40
Canton	50	—
An Shing	—	—
Swatow	475	576
—	—	525
—	—	716
Total	4,659	12,328

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:-

Hydrangea, (Br.), Swatow	98
Santhia (Br.), Amoy	162
Sunning (Br.), Canton	26
Holchow (Br.), Amoy	51
Hozan Maru (Jap.), Swatow	60
An Shing (Ch.), Swatow	253
Total	650

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:-

	Arr.	Dep.
British	8	8
American	1	0
Norwegian	0	1
Japanese	3	5
Chinese	2	4
Total	14	18

ARRIVALS

15TH AUGUST.

Louise Moller, British steamer, 2,336 tons, Captain H. Bell, from Chinwangtao, Lai Chi Kok—Dodwell & Co.

Patroclus, British steamer, 6,910 tons, Captain W. McClure, from London via Singapore, Holt's Wharf—Butterfield and Swire.

Ryoka Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,302 tons, Captain M. Omatsu, from Milke, buoy No. A11—M. B. K.

Liangchow, British steamer, 1,220 tons, Captain E. G. Thomas, from Swatow, buoy No. B3—B. & S.

Penang Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,230 tons, Captain Y. Uakubayashi, from Sakito, Kowloon Wharf—N. Y. K.

Naushin Maru, Japanese steamer, 2,970 tons, Captain N. Nisumi, from Sakito, buoy No. B25—M. S. K.

Isar, German steamer, 5,637 tons, Captain W. Kord, Lutger, from Shanghai, buoy No. A3—Melchers & Co.

Kaying, British steamer, 1,572 tons, Captain J. D. Fraser, from Canton, buoy No. B1—B. & S.

Haldia, British steamer, 1,144 tons, Captain C. Boyce, from Saigon, buoy No. B5—Wo Fat Sing.

Sungshan Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,503 tons, Captain M. Takayama, from Swatow, buoy No. B6—N. Y. K.

Bhutan, British steamer, 2,912 tons, Captain W. L. Harris, from Shanghai, buoy No. A1—M. M. & Co.

Pres. Harrison, American steamer, 6,242 tons, Captain H. J. Ehman, from New York via Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—Dollar S.S. Line.

Tyndareus, British steamer, 7,200 tons, Captain P. J. Pycraft, from Everett via Shanghai, buoy No. A8—B. & S.

Sunning, British steamer, 1,570 tons, Captain R. Warren, from Canton, buoy No. B21—B. & S.

Yingchow, British steamer, 1,216 tons, Captain F. J. Griffiths, from Canton, buoy No. B15—B. & S.

Yohow, British steamer, 1,630 tons, Capt. A. F. Summerfield, from Canton, buoy No. B10—B. & S.

General Lee, American steamer, 2,732 tons, Captain A. D. Hansen, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf—Stokes & Co.

Selatan, British steamer, 1,571 tons, Captain R. C. Creeer, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.

Pres. Jackson, American steamer, 8,378 tons, Captain M. Seavey, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf—American Mail Line.

Haruna Maru, Japanese steamer, 6,311 tons, Capt. S. Takakashi, from Shanghai, buoy No. A2—N. Y. K.

Foo Lee, Chinese steamer, 859 tons, Captain Yamaguchi, from Canton, buoy No. B1—Yee Tai Hong.

Hiram, Norwegian steamer, 1,108 tons, Captain T. Olsen, from

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—President Harrison, Penang Maru, Noshiro Maru, and President Jackson.

Douglas Laprak:—Haj Ning.

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Kowloon:—Fingal, Clara Jensen, Haydrot, Kwal Sang and Silver Sandal.

Tatko:—H.M.S. Olympus, Hunan, King Lee, Chekiang, Ninghal, Soochow and Hang Cheong.

BUOYS

No. A1—Bhutan.

No. A2—Haruna Maru.

No. A3—Isar.

No. A4—Santhia.

No. A7—Changte.

No. A8—Tyndareus.

No. B3—Kiangchow.

No. B9—Hozan Maru.

No. B10—Yochow.

No. B11—New Mathilde.

No. B14—Kwangchow.

No. B15—Yingchow.

No. B17—Tal Poo Sek.

No. B20—Holchow.

No. B21—Sunning.

No. C1—Mabella.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of ships expected to be in wireless communication by the Government Radio Office with Hong Kong yesterday:-

General Lee, Shinkyo Maru, Nancy Moller, Hulchow, Maria, Yuen Sang, Hydrangea, Atsuta Maru, Sui Yang and Tjalsak.

CLEARANCES

16TH AUGUST.

Kut Sang, for Amoy
Daisy Moller, for C. W. Tao
Noshiro Maru, for Keelung
President Jackson, for Shanghai
Yingchow, for Shanghai
Holchow, for Canton
Foo Lee, for Tientsin
New Mathilde, for Saigon
Haj Ning, for Swatow
Yochow, for Swatow
Isar, for Singapore
Sungshan Maru, for Canton
Santhia, for Singapore
Liangchow, for Canton

Bangkok via Swatow, buoy No. B18—Thorsen & Co.

15TH AUGUST.

Noshiro Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,318 tons, Captain H. Alzawa, from Kobe, Kowloon Wharf—N. Y. K.
Holchow, British steamer, 1,629 tons, Captain W. L. Thomas, from Shanghai via Amoy, buoy No. B20—B. & S.
Santhia, British steamer, 4,841 tons, Captain W. J. Clark, from Osaka via Amoy, buoy No. A4—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.
Daisy Moller, British steamer, 3,062 tons, Captain J. W. Jones, from Canton, Yau-mai—Dodwell & Co.

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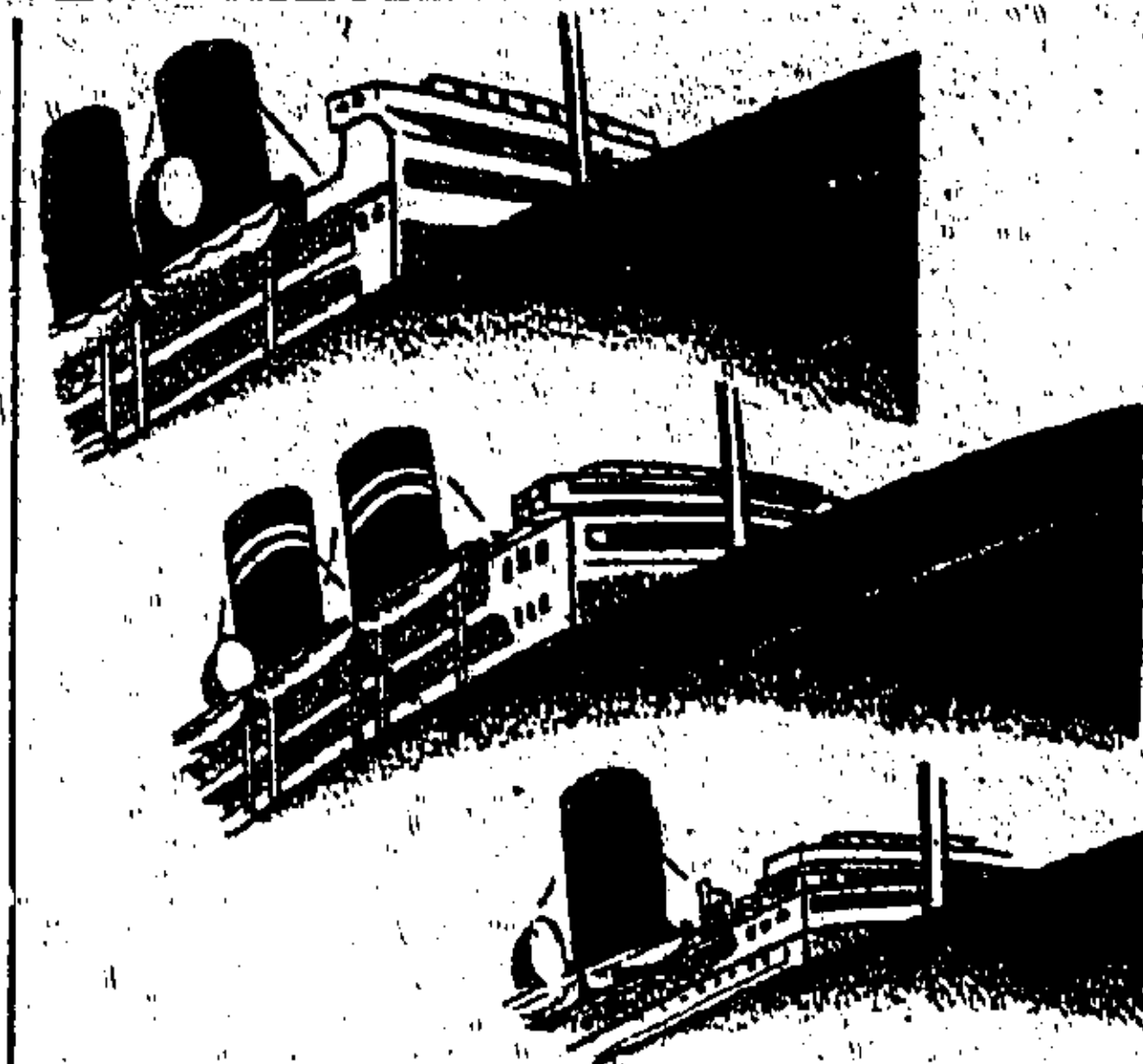
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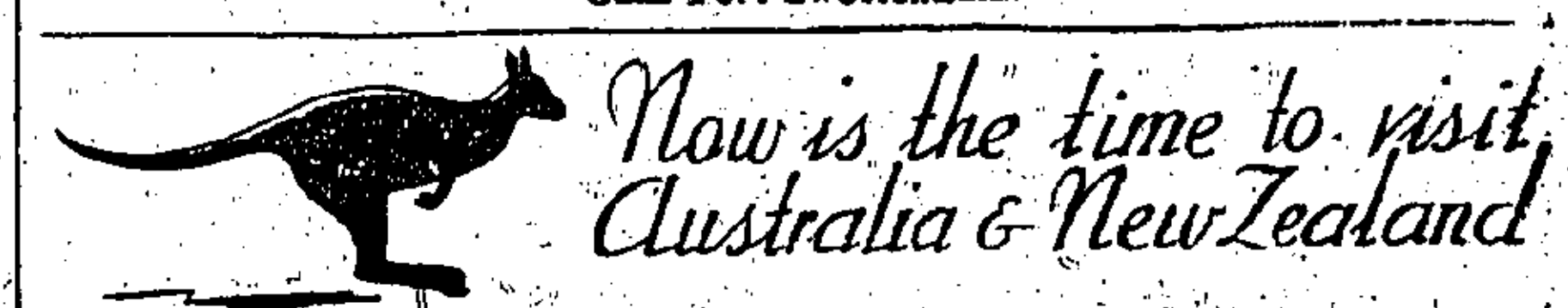
Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL SAILINGS			
RANCHI	17,000	24th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BEHAR	6,000	31st Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*KIDDERPORE	5,000	4th Sept.	Stettin and Hamburg.
NALDERA	18,600	7th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SUDAN	7,000	14th Sept.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
BANPURA	17,000	21st Sept.	Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BURDWAN	6,000	19th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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